

# The Bethel Citizen

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## Chipping plant is target of Hanover moratorium petition

By ALISON ALOISIO

Opponents of Mead Corporation's plan to build a chipping mill in Hanover have petitioned selectmen for a moratorium that would temporarily prevent the project's approval.

The \$12-million plant, designed to supply Mead's Rumford paper mill, would be built on the site of what is currently a subdivision. The subdivision's original approval would have to be revised to allow the 280-acre property, located off

Route 2, to be used for a mill.

The petition asks for a 180-day moratorium on subdivision approvals and revisions. Selectmen are expected to consider the issue soon after a public informational meeting scheduled for March 26.

The petition was circulated earlier this month by several residents, including Bob Fortin, whose land abuts the property where the plant would be built.

The 30-signature petition requests the moratorium, Fortin said, to al-

low townspeople to consider whether to enact ordinances to further restrict commercial development.

There are approximately 150 registered voters in Hanover.

The group obtained legal advice in the wording of the petition, according to Fortin.

Fortin has lived in his Route 2 home for 40 years. He said of development in general, "If it was quiet and clean, O.K." He had no objections, he said, to the subdivi-

sion originally approved for the site.

But he and others who own property near the proposed mill are worried noise from its operation and from wood trucks coming and going will disturb their peace and quiet. Diesel fumes and light pollution from night operation are also a concern, Fortin said.

He also worries that sounds from the mill will be disturbing to people in Hanover Village, located nearby. Fortin said he worked around

such operations during a 38-year career in the paper business, and he is skeptical that plans by Mead to enclose the chipping operation in sound-resistant buildings will take care of the noise.

And looking farther down the road, Fortin said, he is concerned Mead might expand the chipping operation.

A moratorium, he said, would provide more time to consider the implications of projects such as the mill. If granted state and local ap-

proval, the chipping plant would start operation early next year.

Request "valid"

First selectman Bruce Powell said Monday the request for a meeting to consider a moratorium "is probably a valid one."

An earlier informational meeting was held in February, and, like that one, next week's gathering will be attended by Mead officials. Powell said he expects the major issues and

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**THE WEARIN' OF THE GREEN**  
Pupils at the Woodstock Elementary School celebrate St. Patrick's Day Tuesday by donning the green -- and enjoying the pre-spring sunshine.  
(Photo by Michael Daniels)

## Committee recommends taking Indian Trust lands out of LURC jurisdiction

But 500-acre minimum appears to exempt Albany

By STEVEN SYCOS

A bill exempting most Passamaquoddy and Penobscot tribal lands from the Land Use Regulation Commission (LURC) narrowly passed the Maine Legislature's Judiciary Committee last week on a 7-5 vote and should be considered by full House of Representatives during the next two weeks.

A last-minute amendment, however, keeps current tribal holdings in Albany Township under LURC control and may cause the tribes to reject the proposed change in the Maine Indian Claims Settlement Act.

Sen. John Benoit (R-Franklin),

who led opposition to the bill, said he is uncertain whether the Legislature will approve the bill. "That's so close, it's hard to say."

If passed by the Legislature and signed by Gov. Angus King, the bill still must be ratified by both tribes before becoming law. And the Passamaquoddy's representative to the Legislature, Frederick Moore, says his tribe is likely to reject the bill because of an amendment excluding lands under 500 acres.

"It's got a built in cyanide capsule," observes Moore.

The bill transfers regulation of tribal lands from LURC to the Maine Indian Tribal-State Com-

mission (MITSC). The Penobscots and Passamaquoddy would still have to draft land use plans that meet broad goals of protecting the environment and preventing pollution, but MITSC, not LURC, would have the power to approve and change plans.

"The Legislature is finally using MITSC for what it was intended -- as a compromise," says Penobscot legislative representative Donna Loring, who adds that the tribes believe they should have complete control of their lands under the Land Claims Settlement Act. Established by the act, MITSC has

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## 1998 Town Meetings

### Upton to vote on \$28,000 plow truck

By ALISON ALOISIO

Upton voters will decide on raises for town officials and whether to buy a new plow truck when they gather for tonight's Town Meeting.

If the \$135,897 total budget proposed by selectmen is approved, it would be an increase from 1997's \$124,884. Selectman Richard LeCompte estimates that could up the tax rate from the current 13.87 mills to 14.00, barring valuation gained from additional properties.

Town officials would get a pay raise for the first time since 1989 if voters give their approval. "I think

it's about time," said LeCompte. An additional \$5,000 would be raised for Town Office expenses to cover the increases.

The proposals for annual pay are: selectmen, \$1,000, up from \$700; assessors, \$800, up from \$500; treasurer, \$1,500, up from \$700; bookkeeper, \$1,500, up from \$1,200; clerk, \$1,000, up from \$700; registrar of voters, \$500, up from \$200; Planning Board, \$100, up from \$75; building inspector, \$200, up from \$100; School Committee, \$100, up from \$75. The tax collector's monthly salary would go

up to \$200 over the current \$155.

Residents will also elect officials. The offices of town clerk, tax collector and treasurer are currently held by Walter Stanczyk, who is expected to run again.

Clayton Thompson's selectman's seat is also up for election, as is Pat Lewitt's School Committee seat.

"No more used junk"

Selectmen also propose to borrow \$25,000 to purchase a new plow truck to replace the 1987 GMC now

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## And Woodstock looks at \$95,000 rig

By ALISON ALOISIO

A new plow truck and repairs to the Concord Pond outlet bridge will be two issues up for discussion by Woodstock voters at Monday's Town Meeting.

Townpeople can expect to raise about \$32,000 more from taxation in 1998 than last year, if they approve those two warrant articles and 61 others in the selectmen's proposed budget.

The current 18.82 mil rate, however, is expected to go down, due to

an increase in valuation. Town Manager Vern Maxfield won't know how much it will drop until taxes are figured later this year.

The proposed new \$95,000, 10-wheeler plow truck would replace the current 1982 six-wheel truck. Maxfield said it would not be worth putting the necessary money into the old truck to keep it going.

Selectmen are recommending the \$95,000 be raised by taking \$50,000 from surplus, \$25,000 from the highway truck fund and \$20,000 from taxes.

Another article requests \$15,000 to fully repair the Concord Pond outlet bridge, which has

deteriorated in recent years.

Town officials propose to widen the bridge, which consists of three culverts running under the road. The culverts would also be replaced with one large one.

The current setup is considered by some to be unsafe because drivers must negotiate a turn at the same time they cross over the narrow bridge.

Voters at a special Town Meeting in September turned down a \$5,000 proposal to make temporary repairs to the culverts, asking instead that selectmen bring back a plan at next week's meeting.

Some also questioned at that time if there are other roads in town that see more use and should therefore take priority, such as County Road,

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## Gov. King to meet with group from Albany

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Representatives of the Albany Improvement Association are scheduled to meet Friday with Maine Gov. Angus King to discuss the prospects for Indian gaming in the township.

The meeting was set up by state Rep. Al Barth (R-Bethel) at the request of Gov. King, according to AIA president Doty Duddy.

King has consistently opposed gambling as a means of economic development, but he has indicated his support for LD 1961 (see related story) as long as the 500-acre exclusion was included.

Duddy said her group hoped to review with King the overall status of Indian gaming here, and the impact on it of recent legislative initiatives.

They also hope to convince the

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## Bethel Station

### Job count from federal grants coming up short

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel officials are scrambling to find jobs.

Year-round jobs, seasonal jobs, full-time jobs, part-time jobs, even fragments of jobs that can be added up to whole jobs -- just about any sort of position the town can argue was created by the federal money that has come into town as a result of the Bethel Station project.

The federal money in question is in the form of two large grants: \$400,000 that in 1995 went toward infrastructure improvements in the project area, and \$200,000 that is slated to be part of the funding package for upcoming improvements to the town's wastewater treatment plant.

The money in both cases came from federal economic development funds, and such funds come with a large string attached -- the town must eventually show that the federal investment resulted in more local jobs.

If the jobs do not develop, the funding agencies can ask for the

money back (or "recapture" it).

At the time the town committed to the first grant, the selectmen were assured that such recapture rarely, if ever, becomes necessary.

And it will not take place in Bethel's case, despite the fact that the number of jobs created here has fallen far short of what was anticipated when the funds were allocated.

When the 1995 grant was signed, one of the conditions was that "on or before July 1, 1997 (Bethel) must show evidence that the project has created at least 200 permanent jobs, of which at least 51 percent (or 102) have been filled by low or moderate income persons."

But the long-stalled project has created nothing like 200 jobs. In fact, town officials can come up with only 29 so-called "full-time equivalency" positions that can be credited to the project.

And crediting even these to Bethel Station is a bit of a stretch --

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**GIVING IT ANOTHER TRY**—The eighth annual Bethel Winter Festival -- iced out in early January -- is scheduled to take place this weekend, March 21 and 22. Participants can learn to telemark ski, cross-country ski, snowshoe, snowboard or downhill ski. Other activities include sleigh rides, a juggling act, a fireworks display, a scavenger hunt and an obstacle course. A \$30 adult ticket (\$15 for kids ages 7-12) gives full access to all events and activities. Single-day tickets are also available. Registration begins at 9 a.m. Saturday at the Bethel Inn Conference Center. The event is sponsored by the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with L.L. Bean and other businesses. To pre-register, or for more information, call 1-800-809-7057, ext. 26666.

### RABIES CLINIC

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\$70 per animal, all area pets are welcome.

For more information call  
836-2032 or 836-2978

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Mahosuc Arts is looking for local performing artists to participate on:  
**Sat. April 4 Telstar H.S.**  
Mt. Jam 3-6 pm -- teen & adult categories. Prize money awarded -- best performance in each category.  
Mt. Music 7-9 pm -- open to all others interested in performing for an audience. Sound system provided.  
Artists from a variety of disciplines: including dance, music, theater, & storytelling will be considered.  
Call 824-3575 for info & sign up.



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Annual

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Gould Academy Dining Hall  
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Proceeds to benefit Scholarship & Educational Programs



### Annual Dinner/Meeting

Thursday, March 26, 1998

at Crescent Park School

All residents of Central & Northern Oxford County are invited.

Hors d'oeuvres served from 5:30 - 6:00  
Buffet Dinner at 6:00  
Annual Meeting will follow the dinner.  
Adults \$5.00 • Children under 12 \$2.50

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## Letters

## SUPPORT LAKES BILLS

## To the Editor:

Two very important bills will soon be considered by the 118th Legislature -- LD 80, An Act to Protect Internal Waters of the State, and LD 1730, which would expand the authority for the commissioner of IF&W to establish rules governing surface use on great ponds.

Maine Audubon is asking all citizens who are concerned about these important issues to call the following joint standing committees: LD 80 Appropriations and Financial Affairs (207-287-1635), Gov. King (207-287-3531), and LD 1730 Inland Fisheries & Wildlife (207-287-1338) or Natural Resources (207-287-4149).

The quality of the water in our lakes, streams and ponds is extremely important for health, esthetic and economic reasons.

Boating should be safe, fun and not pollute the water. Game wardens are overworked and underpaid. I believe the state should hire assistant wardens, where needed, perhaps from the ranks of college students during the summer.

Up here in the Western Mountains, when "Little Sir Echo" becomes a loud jet ski, he bothers a lot of people.

The Great Ponds Task Force spent an extreme number of hours developing these two bills. They have been presented to the public for their input and appear to be reasonable and exactly what the state needs at this time to solve our problems. All the recommendations are important. The Jet Ski issue has created the most emotion. I don't think they need to be banned everywhere, but they surely need to be controlled.

Nancy Willard,  
President, Community Lakes Association

## A POSSIBLE WIN-WIN

## To the Editor:

As currently drafted, LD 1961, the Indian sovereignty legislation, may well be a win for the tribe -- in terms of sovereignty goal of tribal use control over affected Indian territories; and a win for Albany Township, by clarifying that small parcels of tribal land holdings (under 500 acres) that meet the requirements of Indian Territory be excluded from the shift to tribal control. In other words, by passage of this legislation the law will become clearer that on small parcels of Indian Territory, the tribes are subject to the same laws as non-tribal lands (no special treatment).

Without passage of this legislation -- the provisions of the 1980 Settlement Treaty giving the tribes some "municipal level" of control over Indian territories of any size remains undefined.

The basis tradeoff being made is that the tribes will have LURC-like control over their large land holdings with no strings attached and the tribes forego any tribal land use sovereignty on small parcels of Indian territory.

From the governor's perspective, what is good about this legislation is that the tribe and the state have negotiated the scope of the tribe's land use rather than have that decided in a divisive court battle that could hold risks for both the tribe and the state.

"Indian Territory" is the treaty classification of tribe-owned lands that were put into "trust" by the federal government (therefore tax exempt) by a certain date. The Indian Land Claims Settlement Treaty affects only tribal lands that qualify as "Indian Territory."

One of the arguments in Kimball vs. LURC is that the Passamaquoddy Tribe's 18 acres in Albany does not even qualify as "Indian Territory" because that parcel was not certified as "trust" land by the Secretary of the Interior by the deadline in the treaty. This is important because under Maine law the tribes are only allowed high-stakes bingo on Indian Territory.

Last month the Judiciary Committee killed a bill that would have extended the qualifying date for Indian Territory until 2001. That was the same bill that would have specifically allowed the tribe to expand its Indian Territory in Albany Township.

Dorothy Duddy  
Albany Township

## NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS

## To the Editor:

District Exchange has been operating the used clothing store for seven years in the former Ethel Bisbee School on Philbrook Street. Because of all our neighbors, we will have the store open every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Anyone who would like to volunteer, please call me at 836-3323 on Monday from 1 to 4 p.m. or Thursday from 4 to 6 p.m.

Neighbors Helping Neighbors has been our logo from the beginning. We have been very successful because of caring people.

We thank everyone for their help.

Freda Davis  
District Exchange, Bethel

## READING EVENT THANKS

## To the Editor:

The Telstar Education Association (TEA) would like to thank everyone who participated in the Read Across America/Dr. Seuss' Birthday Event on Monday, March 2. Elementary students throughout our school district enjoyed a special day to read and be read to by peers, adults and middle and high school readers and authors. Cat in the Hat cakes were made and eaten. Hundreds of used but usable books were swapped and new books were given away.

The TEA encourages adults to get involved in the education of children. One of the most enjoyable ways is to read out loud daily to children, no matter what age. In so doing, we share stories and information, expand thinking and language, and develop a lifelong love of learning through reading.

Thanks again to all of you who helped to make this day possible.

Elizabeth O'Meara  
for Telstar Education Association

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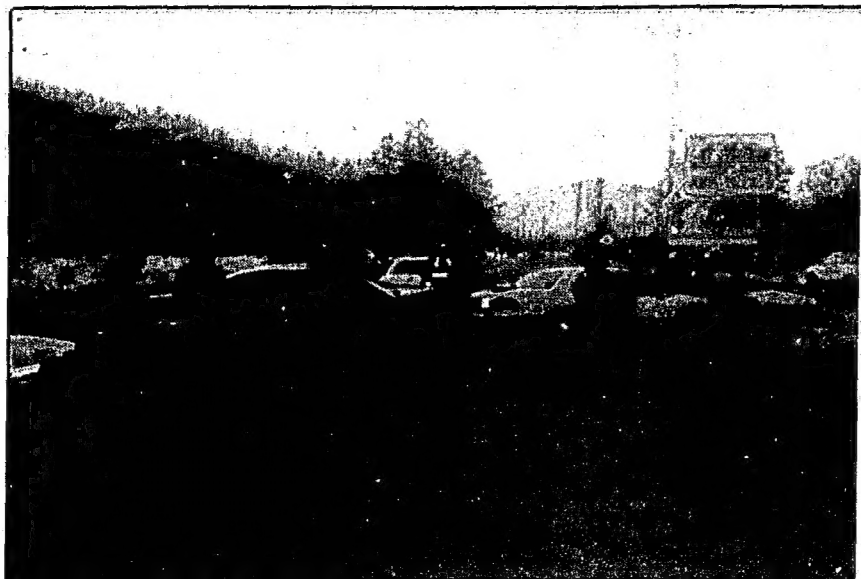
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**AIR BAGS SAVE THE DAY**  
Bethel Police Chief Darren Tripp credits air bags with preventing serious injuries Friday in this two-car accident on the Sunday River Road. David Way, 26, of Guernsey, United Kingdom, turned left in front of a car driven by Stephen Walsh, 30, of Cranston, R.I. Walsh was unable to avoid Way's vehicle. On Saturday, slippery road conditions contributed to another six accidents. No injuries were reported in those mishaps. (Photo by Darren Tripp)

## Augusta Roll Call Report

By STEVEN STYCOS

Each month while the Maine Legislature is in session, the Augusta Roll Call Report will detail the key votes of our area's legislators during the previous month.

The Roll Call Report is intended to help voters decide whether how well their elected representatives are representing the people who elected them. The Citizen urges its readers to clip and save these reports and refer to them later this year when candidates for state representative and state senator are seeking votes.

The Roll Call Report is researched and written by investigative reporter Steven Stycos using official House of Representatives and Senate documents.

Cut the sales tax, says state Sen. Norman Ferguson (R-Oxford). Oh no, says state Rep. Robert Cameron (R-Rumford), save the money for the next economic downturn.

Everyone would benefit from reducing the sales tax from 6 to 5 percent, says Ferguson, and no one would have to be hired by the state to return the money. Although Cameron voted with his fellow Republicans to direct the Taxation Committee to send a sales tax reduction bill to the House floor (see House vote number 6), he says, "I don't think it's appropriate because 15 percent goes to tourists and I think if we cut a tax, it all should go to Maine citizens."

Although he knows it will not happen, Cameron would like all the surplus to go into the Maine Rainy Day Fund, which currently has \$43 million on hand to serve as a cushion when the economy sours. The Legislature should be "preparing for the downturn that's coming," says Cameron. Sometime in the next two years, he predicts, tax revenues will fall and the Legislature will again find it difficult to pay its bills.

He would also like to spend approximately \$15 million by eliminating the snack tax, which he says is "confusing" and an unnecessary burden on small store owners. The two legislators also favor increasing the personal exemption on the state income tax to \$2,750, the same as the federal income tax personal exemption. That change would cost about \$37 million a year, according to Maine Revenue Service management analyst Gerry Stanhope.

Both Ferguson, a former member of the Taxation Committee, and Cameron oppose the Democrats' and Gov. Angus King's plan to have the state pay the property tax on \$7,500 of a home's value. That tax break would cost about \$47 million and they worry that future legislatures will not properly fund the program. In the tight budgets of the early 1990s, the Legislature only partially funded the tree growth tax reimbursement program, they point out, forcing towns to raise property taxes to make up for the reduced state aid. Only last year did the Legislature correct that problem.

If the Legislature wants property tax relief, Ferguson prefers to use the circuit breaker program because in addition to aiding the elderly and low-income people, it also helps Maine citizens who pay more than 27 percent of their income in rent.

Proposed legislation to require tobacco companies to report the amount of 15 hazardous substances in their cigarettes (see Senate vote number 5), "is just harassment of the tobacco companies for no good reason," says Ferguson, a member of the committee which handles many tobacco control bills. Everyone already knows smoking is not good for your health, he explains.

Although he opposed that bill, the former Oxford County Commissioner adds that recent events have changed his attitude toward the tobacco companies. "I'm more inclined to vote anti-tobacco than I was two years ago," he says, "because of what's come out -- saying foolish things like nicotine is not addictive."

Ferguson concedes his voting record does not reflect that change. Last year he opposed legislation to increase the cigarette tax 37 cents a pack and voted against allowing towns to regulate tobacco. He also opposed legislation to ban smoking in restaurants and at work.

Below is a list of major roll call votes by mid-March 1998. Attendance is the percentage of roll call votes for which a legislator was present as of March 11.

## HOUSE

**1. Physician Assisted Suicide:** 2/11/98 vote on LD 916, sponsored by Rep. Joseph Brooks (D-Winterport) to permit mentally competent adults to get medication to end their own lives voluntarily. Supporters say the chronically ill should have the power to end their own lives, but opponents oppose suicide and say the bill would lead to mercy killing. The bill was defeated 42-99.

**2. Public Works Jobs Must Pay Benefits:** 2/25/98 vote on LD 1454, sponsored by Rep. Thomas Wright (D-Berwick), to require contractors on government projects to pay workers an average benefit package as determined by the Department of Labor. Supporters say the government should pay for health insurance, pension and other benefits for construction workers. Opponents say the law will increase the cost of government construction projects. The bill passed 76-62.

**3. Prevailing Wage for Turnpike Construction:** 3/5/98 vote on LD 1956, sponsored by Sen. Mary Cathcart (D-Penobscot), to require all contractors working on the Maine turnpike to pay workers prevailing wages required on other government public works projects. Prevailing wage work is generally better paying than other construction work. Supporters say the turnpike authority should pay good wages, opponents say the bill will raise turnpike widening costs. The bill passed 78-65.

**4. Increase Minimum Wage 25 Cents:** 3/4/98 vote on LD 568, sponsored by Rep. Edward Povich (D-Ellsworth) to increase the minimum wage 25 cents to \$5.40 per hour. Supporters say low-wage workers need a raise. Opponents say some employers will eliminate jobs rather than pay the increase. The bill passed 77-66.

**5. Tobacco Ingredients Disclosure:** 3/5/98 vote on LD 1570, sponsored by Sen. Peter Mills (R-Somerset), to require tobacco companies to publicly report their products' ingredients. Supporters say the information on cigarettes' hazardous ingredients will benefit the public health, but opponents say it is an unnecessary regulation of a legal product. The bill was defeated 54-92.

**6. Cut Sales Tax:** 2/26/98 vote on a joint order, sponsored by Rep. Robert Spear (R-Nobleboro), directing the Taxation Committee to draft legislation cutting the sales tax from 6 to 5 percent. Republicans want to use about \$110 million of surplus revenue to cut the sales tax, but Democrats have other plans for the money. The joint order failed 70-77.

## SENATE

**1. Physician Assisted Suicide:** 2/12/98 vote on LD 916 (see House vote above). The bill was defeated 5-25.

**2. Public Works Jobs Must Pay Benefits:** 3/6/98 vote on LD 1454 (see House vote above). The bill passed 20-12.

**3. Prevailing Wage for Turnpike Construction:** 3/4/98 vote on LD 1956 (see House vote above). The bill passed 26-7.

**4. Increase Minimum Wage 25 Cents:** 3/6/98 vote on LD 468 (see House vote above). The bill passed 18-14.

**5. Tobacco Ingredients Disclosure:** 3/4/98 vote on LD 1570 (see House vote above). The bill was defeated 16-17.

## Senators

		1998 ATTENDANCE	PHYSICIAN ASSISTED SUICIDE	PUBLIC WORKS JOBS MUST PAY BENEFITS	PREVAILING WAGE FOR TURNPIKE CONSTRUCTION	INCREASE MINIMUM WAGE 25 CENTS	TOBACCO INGREDIENTS DISCLOSURE	CUT SALES TAX
District 24	Norman Ferguson (R)	100%	N	N	Y	N	Y	
District 25	Richard Bennett (R)	100%	N	N	N	N	N	

## Representatives

		1998 ATTENDANCE	PHYSICIAN ASSISTED SUICIDE	PUBLIC WORKS JOBS MUST PAY BENEFITS	PREVAILING WAGE FOR TURNPIKE CONSTRUCTION	INCREASE MINIMUM WAGE 25 CENTS	TOBACCO INGREDIENTS DISCLOSURE	CUT SALES TAX
District 65	Alvin Barth Jr (R)	88%	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
District 68	Tom Winsor (R)	98%	N	N	N	N	N	Y
District 70	Robert Cameron (R)	98%	Y	N	N	N	N	Y

## OUR BACK PAGES

Compiled by POLLY DAVIS

10 years ago: Airman James D. Todd of West Paris graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

Crescent Park fourth-graders Lydia Grover, Caitlin Kavanagh and Andy Dennis in acting out their Snoopy routine were only two points behind the winners in the Odyssey of the Mind competition held at Oxford Hills High School.

Marriage: Tammy Legere and Richard James.

Deaths: Gertrude Yemma, Joseph Perry, Frank Landry, Merna Allen, Valerie Costello, David D. Thompson.

20 years ago: The Telstar Swingin' Rebel Jazz Band, under the direction of Jerry Hefley, received a rating of "excellent," missing a chance, at the State Jazz Title, at the State District 1, 2, and 3 Jazz Contest held at University of Maine-Portland-Gorham.

John and Barbara Gasser joined the firm of Robert Crane Associates.

Birth: Timothy Painchaud.

Marriage: Nina Sterling and Michael Wheeler.

Deaths: Loton Hutchinson, Everett Buck.

30 years ago: Eight members of the SAD44 Board of Directors were sworn in at a regular meeting in Andover: Theodore Chaddbourne, William Cousins, and Joan Wiese of Bethel; Richard Melville of Greenwood; Milton Mills of Woodstock; Paul Wight of Newry; John Ricker and Eddie Snyder of Andover. Dexter Stowell was re-elected chairman and James Fiske vice-chairman. It was voted to offer contracts to five prospective teachers: Lawrence and Vanessa Arsenault, David Tripp, Timothy LaVallee and Madame Jeanne Thomine-Desmazures.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Bethel Volunteer Fire Department: chief, Harold Carver; 1st assistant chief, Robert Davis; 2nd assistant chief, Harold Rolfe; captain, Lawrence Davis; 1st lieutenant, Dennis Wilson; 2nd lieutenant, Thomas Kennagh; clerk, Hugh Chapman.

Bethel Catholic Council chairman Maurice Roy announced plans were being considered to build a Catholic church on Route 26, Bethel.

A benefit supper was held at Bear River Grange Hall for Mr. and Mrs. John Wight and family, whose home was destroyed by fire.

Rupert and Ina Grover of Mason were tendered a surprise 25th wedding anniversary party at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall, West Bethel.

Marriage: Diane Williamson and Walter Getchell.

Death: Robert Henderson.

40 years ago: The committee for the Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital St. Patrick's Silver Tea (held at Mrs. Mary Chadbourne's) were: Amy Davis, Ruth Wilson, Norma Buck, Dorothy York, Ruth Lanni, Virginia Cole, Janet Richardson, chairman.

Newly elected officers of the Bethel Health and Service Council, Inc., were: president, Ruth Lanni, vice president, Carolyn Brooks; secretary, Pearlina McMillin; treasurer, Kimball Ames.

Pvt. Norman Davis of Newry arrived in Inchon, Korea, aboard the Troop Carrier USS Mitchell from Seattle, Wash.

Births: Barbara Daley, Jane Austin.

Deaths: William Hall, Lena Thurston.

50 years ago: At a meeting of Bethel Superintendent School Committee it was voted not to accept Gilead School students for the 1948-49 school year.

Francis Berry, a junior, received his "B" for serving on the varsity basketball team at Bates College.

The first meeting of the Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association was held at the home of Dana Putnam, Rumford Corner.

Richard Ireland, a junior at Gould Academy, was selected to represent Maine at the First National Junior Ski Meet to be held at Boise, Idaho in March.

Birth: Warren Hood.

Death: Sarah Stearns.

CORRECTION: Last week's item on Town Meeting should read: clerk, Alice Brooks (instead of Alice Bisbee).

100 years ago: E.C. Rowe was painting the interior of his store (now the Opera House Condos).

James Hodgdon started up his birch mill with 500 cords to be worked up.

An antiquarian supper was held at the Universalist Church (now the Church of the Nazarene).

The Village Corporation killed appropriations for lighting the old lamps, and adopting electric lights was also turned down.

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### Andover students short-changed?

ANDOVER--Selectmen plan a public meeting March 26 to discuss whether the town should attempt legal action to prevent SAD44 from cutting \$116,000 from the Andover Elementary School budget. The decision was prompted in part by concerns former selectman Wayne Delano expressed at Tuesday's selectmen's meeting. The district's proposal to cut three of seven teachers at the school and change to a multi-age classroom format amounts to discrimination against Andover students, Delano said. The proposal also has no back-up plan if the setup does not work well, he said. The seven grades at the school have a total of 73 students. At a public hearing on the SAD44 FY'99 budget held in Andover last week, a 200-signature petition opposing the multi-age plan was presented to district officials. Selectman Wendy Green said Wednesday that inquiries have also been made regarding a recall vote on the town's school directors. Some residents, she said, feel the directors are representing the district's interests rather than Andover's. Next week's meeting begins at 6:30 p.m. at the Town Hall.

### Inn project goes to Appeals Board

BETHEL--The Bethel Inn's addition project will have to go before the Board of Appeals April 1, following the discovery of an error in drawings showing the setback from Broad Street. Inn manager Bill White informed the Planning Board of the error at last week's regular meeting. Town ordinance requires new structures have a 30-foot setback from public road rights of way. But the new addition's roof and a door frame overhang slightly into the restricted area. Planner Dan Reich made a motion to "vacate" the board's earlier approval of the project -- sending it to the Appeals Board for consideration of a variance. If a variance is granted, the Planning Board's original approval could then be reinstated. In making the motion, Reich commended White for his honesty in bringing the error to the attention of planners.

### P.O. approved -- with traffic signs

BETHEL--Approval was given last week to enlarge the Bethel Post Office on Main Street. The Planning Board voted for the plan following a public hearing last Wednesday night. The main concern of several citizens who attended the hearing was signage directing the one-way traffic in the parking lot, which will be shared with the Bethel Foodliner. Currently, they said, many grocery store customers ignore a sign preventing vehicles from leaving the parking lot by pulling out onto Main Street. The board stipulated that more visible signs be placed in the lot. Planners also discussed whether to require shopping cart "corrals" -- areas in the parking lot where customers may place carts after they take their groceries to their cars. But the board concluded that a single, central corral would probably not be used by customers, and it was not practical to expect several corrals to be set up.

### Selectmen question proposed raises

BETHEL--The Board of Selectmen Monday tabled action on wages for town employees, after questioning the range of proposed raises -- 1.9 to 7.0 percent. A total of \$50,000 in additional wages/salaries has been proposed by Town Manager Phil Tarr. The selectmen said they wanted more information on the proposal.

### Pathway engineering approved

BETHEL--Selectmen gave their approval Monday for preliminary engineering work to be done for the proposed snowmobile bridge and recreational pathway. First, however, the state must agree in writing to pay for the engineering from grant money it is providing. The town would not be obligated to complete the overall project. The engineering cost is estimated at between \$14,000 and \$17,000.

### Watershed group to meet

NEWRY--The Sunday River Watershed Community Group will meet Thursday, March 26 at 7 p.m. at the Newry Town Office. The meeting is a followup to two held last fall. It will focus on actions the group can take this spring and summer to address water quality, erosion and flooding problems on the Sunday River. Some possibilities include the removal of obstructions from log jams without hurting fish habitat, assisting a fisheries study planned by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife and water testing. Interested landowners, businesses and organizations are urged to attend. For more information contact the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District (207-743-3956, ext. 7019).

### Town asked to accept, fix Douglas Rd.

NEWRY--Selectmen expressed skepticism Tuesday that voters would approve a request to make Douglas Road a town road, if the question were brought to a Town Meeting. The road is the main access to the Powder Ridge development. Bob Rice, president of an association of condominium owners in the development, provided selectmen a written proposal that could be voted upon. The road's condition has deteriorated in the past few years, and with the original developer out of the picture, property owners are looking for a way to improve it. The proposal reads in part: "The Town of Newry declares Douglas Road a public road, and will undertake to repair the paved portion according to appropriate road standards. The cost of this initial repair will be financed by a special assessment to be levied by the Town. Only property owners whose properties abut or whose properties are on road abutting Douglas Road (with the exception of Sunday River Road) will be subject to assessment." Generally, towns do not accept roads unless they have first been brought up to town standards.

### Skier killed at Sunday River

NEWRY--A New Hampshire skier was killed last Wednesday when he skied into trees at Sunday River Ski Resort. It was the resort's second fatality this season. Neil Luvow, 53, of Portsmouth died Wednesday night at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. The cause of death was massive abdominal and head injuries. No one witnessed the 2:25 p.m. accident on "Shock Wave," an expert trail. Luvow apparently lost control and went into the trees, according to resort officials. Luvow was provost of academic affairs at the University of New Hampshire.

### Board OK's Region 9 budget

BETHEL--Region 9 School of Applied Technology directors Tuesday approved a \$915,248 FY'99 budget, up from this year's \$900,880. The proposed adult and community education budget is down 20 percent, to \$160,360, from this year's \$200,497. A public hearing on the budget is scheduled for May 20 at Telstar High School. The region's voters will decide on the budget in a June 9 referendum.

### Puppies, kittens can get rabies shots

GILEAD--A rabies clinic will take place Friday, March 20, at the Gilead Fire Station. The fee is \$7 per animal. Pet owners are reminded that puppies and kittens as young as 12 weeks can safely receive shots, according to Cathy Farren of the Bethel Animal Hospital, which is sponsoring the clinic. Owners should be particularly attentive to shots and rabies prevention as spring approaches, when many wild animals come out of hibernation. For more information call 824-2212.

### Train wreck cleanup underway

WEST PARIS--The St. Lawrence & Atlantic Railroad began cleanup Tuesday of wrecked cars from an October derailment near the Little Androscoggin River. Guilford Railway Systems has been contracted to do the actual work of removing three boxcars and three tanker cars. The derailment forced evacuation of more than 300 residents the evening of Oct. 6, 1997. There was concern at that time about a possible propane leak, but it was then determined that none had occurred. Winter weather delayed the cleanup, which had originally been planned for late October and early November.

### From the Bethel Police log:

#### Pilot flies in his car, too

At 6 p.m. on March 13 a Bethel officer driving his own vehicle on Route 26 in Locke Mills was passed by a car driving at a very high rate of speed. The officer further observed the vehicle continuing north on Route 26 at speeds estimated in excess of 80 miles an hour as it overtook and passed two more vehicles. He attempted to follow the car, but because of the speed and reckless operation decided it was unsafe to pursue it. The officer later observed the vehicle again, apparently slowed by traffic, turn onto the Northwest Bethel Road and into the airport. The officer contacted the subject, an airplane pilot. The pilot said he was late for a departure. The officer advised him that if he saw him driving in that manner again he would arrest him for driving to endanger. The subject agreed his driving was inappropriate, and it would not happen again.

Saturday, March 14

At 2:45 p.m., a subject was stopped for improper passing on Route 26. A check of his license showed it was under suspension. The subject, Gary L. Tyer, 54, of Marshfield, Mass., was issued a summons for OAS and released. The vehicle was transported by wrecker service.

Tuesday, March 17

At 9:31 p.m. police clocked a vehicle on Bridge Street at 52 miles per hour, then stopped it on Route 5. A license check showed the driver's right to operate in Maine was under suspension for failure to pay a fine. Jane L. Lade, 47 (no address given) was issued a summons for OAS.

*This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log, but does not include all reports of police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies. An answering machine takes calls when an officer is not in the office.*

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### COUNTY REPUBLICANS

Oxford County Republicans gathered recently at the Oxford Congregational Church for a delicious chicken fricassee dinner followed by the monthly meeting of the County Committee.

Chair Jolene Lovejoy of Rumford announced that the annual Lincoln Day Dinner was a great success and praised State Committee-woman Becky Kendall of Bethel for all her hard work along with her committee, State Committeeman Carl Hansen and his wife Nancy for arrangements and Barbara Brown who lined up many of the auction items.

Mrs. Kendall called on those attending to help with ads for the 1998 convention booklet. Anyone wishing to take out an ad was urged to give her a call at 824-3196.

The State Convention will be held in Augusta at the Civic Center on May 29-30 and delegation seating at the convention is based on the amount of advertising revenue raised by each county.

It was announced that candidate recruitment in the county was going very well with nearly all openings covered.

A number of candidates were present including Sheriff Lloyd "Skip" Herrick, Freda Truman (County treasurer), Ted Heidrich of Oxford (Legislative District 64), Arlan Jodrey of Bethel (Legislative District 65), Rep. Tom Winsor (R-Norway), Barbara Robinson

(Legislative District 69) and Rep. Rob Cameron (R-Rumford). Steve Merrill, County Commissioner, not up for re-election this year, was also present.

The Town of Mexico presented a \$500 check to the County Committee to pay its county quota. Other towns were urged by Becky Kendall, County Finance Chair, to make contributions to the County Committee of \$1 for every enrolled Republican in that municipality.

It was announced that many towns had already caucused and that more would in the near future. It was stressed by the State Committee representatives how important it was to have a large number of Republicans at the State Convention in May. Members were also urged to gather signatures for gubernatorial and congressional candidates prior to the March 15 deadline.

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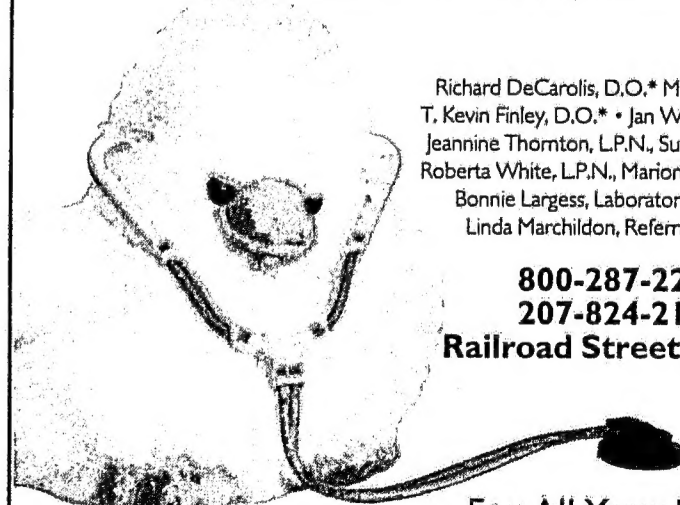
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## Bill

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four members appointed by the governor, two representatives selected by each tribe and a chairperson chosen by the other eight members. Under the bill, tribal lands would still be subject to state laws governing shoreline zoning, subdivisions and minimum lot size. Benoit, a retired judge from Rangeley, argued that all unorganized townships should continue to be covered by LURC. "If this passes, we lose uniformity," he said.

Benoit also worries that the bill is unconstitutional because it prevents the legislature from controlling land use regulation of tribal lands. That argument was quickly rejected by the committee's House chairman, Richard Thompson (D-Naples), because the bill is a treaty change.

Benoit's motion to give the bill an "Ought Not To Pass Recommendation" failed 5-7. Then state Rep. Joseph Jabar (D-Waterville) moved to amend the bill in three ways. First, he proposed a "sunset" provision that would allow the legislature or the tribes to reopen the land use issue in five years. Second, responding to concerns of state Rep. Judith Powers (D-Rockport) that land use changes on small parcels of tribal land could severely impact nearby non-tribal lands, he proposed replacing the

section of the bill specifically excluding lands in Albany Township with a broad exclusion on all lands under 500 acres. And finally, responding to fears of state Rep. David Etnier (D-Harpswell) that the bill made public hearings on land use plan changes optional, Jabar proposed mandatory hearings on all matters of "public interest."

Jabar's amendments were supported by all the Democrats present, but none of the Republicans, and passed 7-5.

Moore says the Passamaquoddy have no objection to the sunset provision, but the Joint Tribal Council has consistently opposed the 500-acre provision. "Their position to date has been they would not ratify this bill with the 500 acres in," he says. The tribe would accept exclusion of Albany Township, where it owns 18.5 acres, or an exclusion of all property under 25 acres, he adds.

Loring says the 500-acre exclusion is not a practical problem for the Penobscots because the tribe has no holdings that small, but she adds, "If the Passamaquoddy can't accept this, then we will not."

The land use dispute started in the fall of 1988, says Moore, when the tribal council authorized construction of a hunting camp on tribal land in Prentiss Township north of Jackman. A state warden

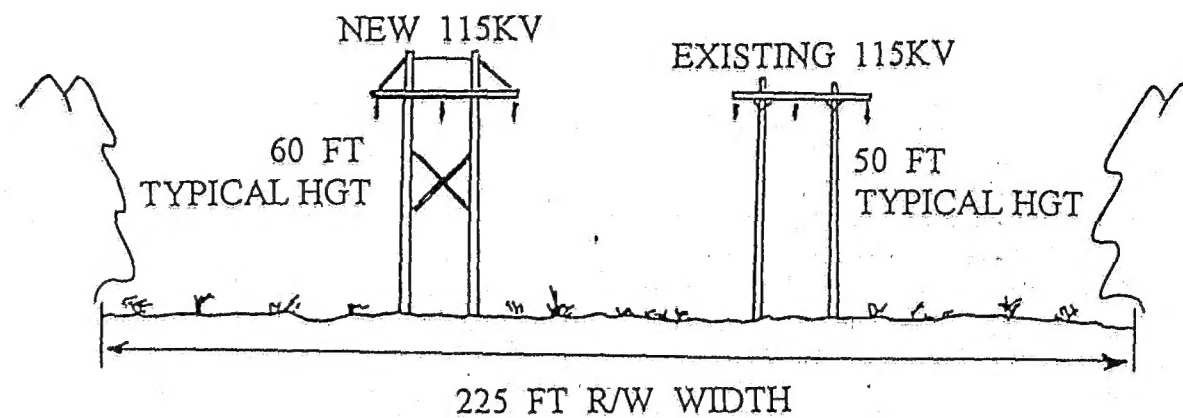
stopped construction, however, because they did not have a LURC permit. "That's what started the whole thing," he says.

Margaret Wille, who owns a summer camp in Albany Township, attended the meeting. Afterward she thanked Benoit for his efforts and expressed her disappointment with the Judiciary Committee's vote.

Those voting for the bill were Thompson, Etnier, Powers, Jabar, state Representatives Elizabeth Watson (D-Farmingdale) and Richard Mailhot (D-Lewiston) and state Sen. Susan Longley (D-Waldo).

Those opposed were Benoit and state Representatives David Madore (R-Auburn), Deborah Plowman (R-Hampden), Richard Nass (R-Acton) and Paul Waterhouse (R-Bridgton).

In February the Judiciary Committee unanimously rejected a bill, presented by Moore, that would have allowed the Passamaquoddy to add Albany Township land to the tribal trust lands. Another bill, proposed by MITSC, to allow tribes to change names of ponds, mountains and other geographic features within their territory, should win unanimous Judiciary Committee approval, according to Benoit.



**POWER LINE EXPANSION PLANS**—Plans for a new Central Maine Power transmission line call for 9.5 miles of the line to run through Woodstock, the town's Planning Board learned Tuesday. The 115 KV line would be placed along the western side of an existing transmission corridor, and would carry power from a proposed new gas-fired generation plant in Rumford to the New England Power Pool grid. The project would require that CMP add between 75 and 100 feet of right of way to the corridor. CMP real estate representatives have been talking to property owners in Woodstock about acquiring more land or rights of way, according to Betty Nickerson, the company's community relations representative. She said CMP has not run into any situations that might require eminent domain proceedings. In cases where the new line might run close to homes, the existing line will be moved over to make more room for the new one. Construction is expected to be completed late next year. Poles will be placed in the winter to minimize the environmental effect of heavy equipment. Regarding benefits to the seven towns through which the line will run, CMP literature states, "The new transmission line will improve reliability for Western Maine, an area usually impacted heavily by Maine weather. Towns will also receive additional property taxes from CMP." The company is making plans for a public hearing in April, which will likely be held in Woodstock. Woodstock is centrally located among the other towns affected (Greenwood, Rumford, Peru, Norway, Waterford, Harrison). In the CMP sketch above, a new 60-foot transmission pole is shown next to an existing 50-foot pole.

## Upton

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used by the town.

"The truck is on its last legs. It costs a lot to keep it going," said LeComte.

He favors buying a brand new truck. "No more used junk as far as I'm concerned," he said.

LeComte believes a new truck can be had for about \$28,000. A separate warrant article asks for \$7,200 in debt service for this year to go toward paying off the loan. "We'd like to pay it off in four years," he said.

A budget item expected to decrease this year is funding for the legal fees account. The recommendation is to appropriate \$1,000, down from \$3,500 appropriated last year.

A substantial amount -- \$17,000 -- had to be paid out of surplus in 1997 to cover legal fees as well as a \$10,000 court judgment in favor of former road commissioner Mike Lewitt, LeComte said.

The judgment, he said, was for fees Lewitt charged for keeping town equipment on his property.

In the school portion of the Upton budget, tuition money paid to SAD44 will increase overall, but the local share will go down due to an increase in state aid.

It is recommended that \$63,429 be approved for the School Committee to expend, up from \$55,017. The local share would be \$33,626, down from \$37,997.

Transportation costs account for most of the budget increase. They are expected to rise by \$7,000 to \$9,000 from last year's \$20,000, LeComte said. Beginning next school year, Upton will have to pay to transport its nine students all the way to Bethel schools.

Currently, they are taken to the Newry Town Office, where they pick up a SAD44 bus for the rest of the trip. But following complaints from SAD44 parents regarding the behavior of some Upton students, district administration decided to revoke the Upton students' privilege of riding SAD44 buses.

Tonight's meeting begins at 7 p.m. at the Schoolhouse.

## King

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governor to appoint someone from Albany to the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission, which is intended to serve as a mediator between the state and its Indian tribes, she said.

In addition to Duddy, the following AIA members and/or Albany property owners have been invited to the meeting: Norma Salway, Crawford Perry, Buzzy Lapham, Amy Schrivner, and Margaret Wille.

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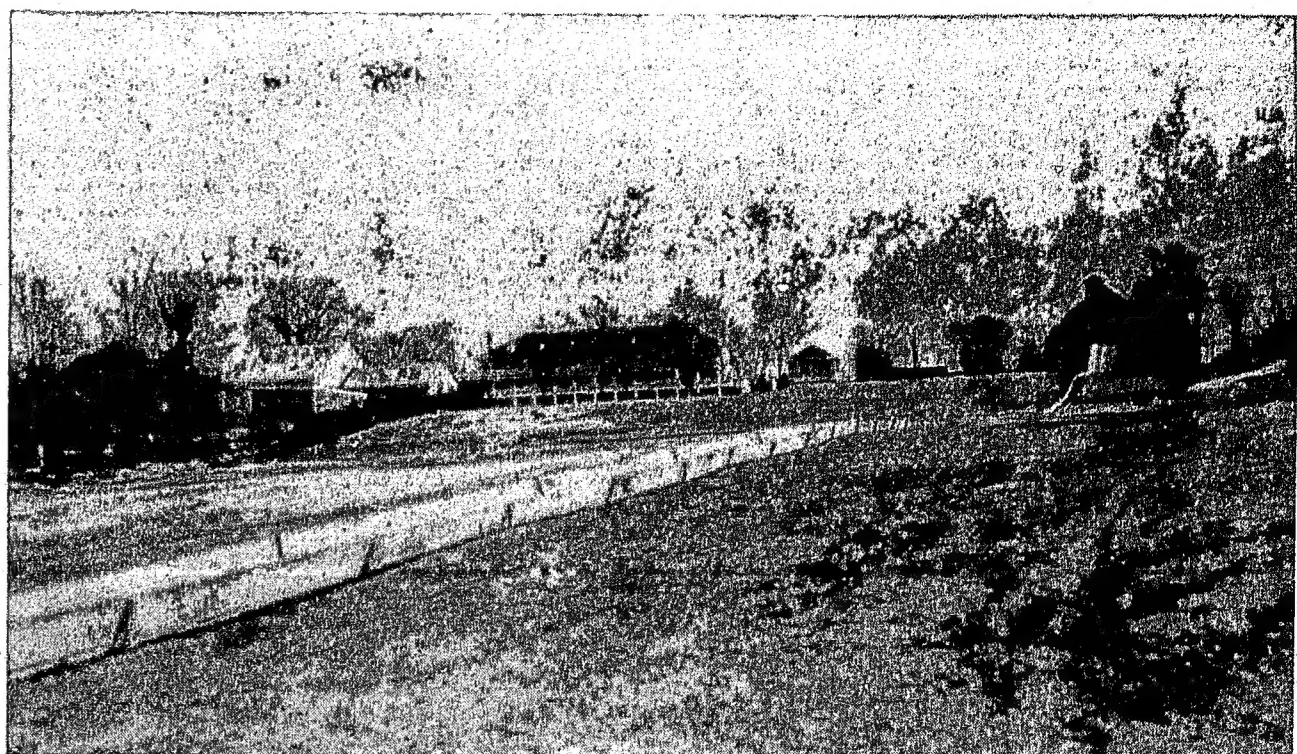
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**TOBAGGAN SLIDE**

This photo taken in the fall or spring about 1913 shows the plank "sluice" of the toboggan slide at the rear of the Bethel Inn. The barn from which the slide begins is now known as the Oaks or the "Harriet." The slide, which was one-third of a mile in length, delivered those daring enough to attempt it across Route 5 and into the woods. This is but one of thousands owned by the Bethel Historical Society, which also possesses an outstanding collection of manuscripts, books, documents, and artifacts relating to western Maine and northern New Hampshire. The society is currently raising funds for its proposed Center for Local and Regional History on Broad Street, which will also provide for improved storage and greater access to collections as well as rooms devoted to exhibits, educational activities, research, traditional crafts, and museum store operations. To learn more about this project, call the society at 824-2908 or 1-800-824-2910 or use the e-mail address (history@hdc.bethel.me.us).



## Woodstock

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which is regularly traveled by school buses.

The Concord Pond Road is maintained only seasonally.

### Ventilation, land, social services

In other articles, selectmen recommend spending \$3,500 to purchase a new exhaust system for the town garage, which currently operates with only an exhaust fan.

The new system would allow road department employees to run trucks inside, if needed, for longer periods of time.

Voters will also consider whether to accept as town land a four-acre parcel currently owned by Gordon Brown. The property is located across from the ball field, and is part of Brown's Summit Hill development property.

Town ordinance requires that in any subdivision larger than 35 acres or 20 lots, the developer must provide up to 10 percent of the total area as green space.

Selectmen said one option might be to use part of the property for ball field parking.

Townpeople will also decide whether to approve a total of \$10,065 for social service organizations. That figure is up from 1997's \$8,995 -- due mostly to a request from the Western Area Agency on Aging, which is requesting \$2,673. Last year, it received \$504.

Maxfield said a WAAA spokesman told him the agency's requests are based on how much its services are used, and usage has been "way up" in Woodstock in the past year.

He has asked a WAAA representative to attend the meeting to answer questions regarding current services offered and the request increase.

SAD44 school directors will get a pay raise to \$700 a year, from the current \$500, if voters approve.

One of the town's three seats on that board is up for election -- the one currently occupied by T.L.

Magee.

He is seeking re-election, and is opposed by Janet Brown.

Leon Poland's selectman's seat is also up for election, and he is seeking it again. Maxfield said he knew of no challengers.

Two library trustee seats are also up. Rosalie Poland and Lyle Wiggins are both seeking re-election, apparently unopposed, Maxfield said.

### Other budget breakdowns

The total proposed Woodstock budget, including proposed school and county assessments, is \$1,251,461 -- up from 1997's \$1,171,034.

The municipal portion of the appropriation is \$632,055, up from 1997's \$584,655. The amount to be raised from taxes is \$857,611, up from last year's \$825,509.

The proposed school commitment is up approximately \$32,000.

The meeting begins at 7 p.m. at the Woodstock Elementary School.

## Jobs

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for example, the town is counting five full-time jobs at the Chamber of Commerce, two at Comfort Chiropractic, two at W.J. Wheeler, and five full-time and two part-time jobs at the Iron Horse Restaurant.

Nonetheless, the 29 jobs are more than enough to get the town over the mandatory threshold (8 jobs) below which the government would seek to recapture the first grant.

And the second, \$200,000 grant, also appears secure. That money is to go to the wastewater treatment plant work, and jobs at any business that connect to the system can be

credited toward that grant.

But the job shortfall does have negative consequences for the town:

First and foremost, the hoped-for new jobs -- and the economic growth they would have generated -- are not here.

And the town must now spend more time and money on paperwork. With so few jobs produced here, the Department of Economic and Community Development is requiring increased monitoring to insure the money is benefiting at least some lower-income workers. And

DECD is also asking for more detailed projections on the number of jobs to be generated by both grants over the course of the next three years.

The long-term consequences can be even greater.

Such grants are highly competitive, with many towns aggressively seeking the limited pool of federal funds. In the future, other towns may find it easier to convince officials who control the purse strings that they will do a better job than Bethel turning federal investment into local jobs.

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## Chipping

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questions raised in February will be addressed.

After that meeting, he said, selectmen will be in a better position to consider a special Town Meeting. The informational meeting begins at 7 p.m. at the Town House.

### Mead replies

Tony Lyons, general manager of Mead's New England Forest Resources division, said Tuesday Mead is hopeful the additional information to be presented next week will satisfy most of townspeople's concerns. If that is the case, he said, Mead also hopes "that there will be no need to proceed" in putting a moratorium in place.

As to Fortin's worry that the chipping operation might be expanded at a later date, Lyons said, "We don't plan on doing any more than what we're saying."

Any future changes, he said, would be in the form of improvements to increase efficiency of the existing operation.

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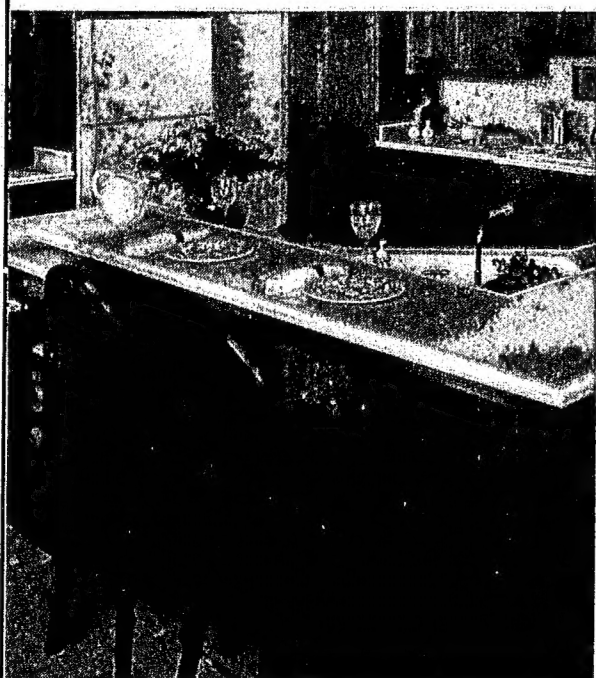
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## Bethel



by Virginia Keniston  
Esther Dunn is undergoing treatment at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston on a daily basis. Her daughter, Linda, reported she would enjoy hearing from her Bethel friends -- her home address is RR2 Box 261, Denmark, ME 04022.

Jean and Clifford Welch of Augusta visited her sister, Betty Perkins, one day last week.

Bud and Joan Howe spent the weekend skiing at Bretton Woods.

Gretchen Dock of Boston was a weekend guest of her parents, Norm and Phyllis Dock. She also visited with Diane and Norma Cross at Sudbury Village.

Albert Raymond is located at the Retirement Center, 19 Beal Street, Norway, ME 04268.

Greg Howe has returned to Severn, Md., after spending a week with his parents, Rodney and Gerry Howe. Saturday evening Diane Howe joined them for dinner.

Scott and Marie Swett are the proud parents of a new baby girl, Delanna Marie, born on March 5 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, weighing 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

Lindley and Pauline Wieden were overnight guests of their daughter, Sylvia and husband Don LaFlamme in Vienna. Eight members of their family gathered there to celebrate Pauline's birthday on the 9th.

Albert and Neil Merrill along with Dwight and Elaine Merrill went on a snowmobile trip in the Rangeley area from March 4 to 8. They had lunch one day at Boscobuck Camps.

Becky Wagner and children, Kaitlee and Colin, of Cobscook Bay State Park in Edmunds spent the weekend with her parents, Bob and Polly Davis. Grandson Adam Davis of Lisbon spent Saturday night with them, and sons Craig and Keith visited throughout the weekend.

A group of students from Telstar High School attended a two-day statewide conference of Peer Groups at the Samoset Resort in Rockland. The students were chosen by their classmates and included Michelle McGrew, Nathan Whitworth, Julie Burgi, Melinda Gilbert, Jon Shaw, Vicki Coolidge, Heather Borst, Toni Lynn Vacca, Denise Scotti, Lindsay Brown, Stacey Bachelder, Josh Hansen, and advisers Jim Mello and Charles Raymond.

Last Wednesday, 70 ninth-grade students and parents went to Augusta where they visited the State House and the State Museum.

Parents attending were Kelly Scotti, Cheryl Morin, Mrs. Miclon, Elaine Dresser, Susan Lowe, and Sue Long.

The Telstar High School sophomore class had a Career Workshop at Telstar with students from Dirigo and Mt. Valley on Wednesday.

On Friday, the sophomore class from Telstar High School skied at Sunday River.

## Bethel House

by Ruth Cummings

Irene Russell and Margaret Quinlan attended the Bethel Senior Citizens Club dinner at Locke Mills Legion Hall last Wednesday.

Vada Glover visited Ruth Cummings last Tuesday and took her to see Amy Hanscom at the Rumford Community Home. It was the first time Ruth had been to see her sister since Jan. 25 when Rodney took her over. They played cribbage and lady luck with Vada. When they started Ruth was three games ahead. When they finished Vada was two games ahead. Before going to see Amy they had a nice dinner at Freddie's in Rumford.

Here is a letter that I received 10 or more years ago, and I will copy it so others can enjoy it as I did.

"Dear Ones,  
"Remember old folks are worth a fortune! With silver in their hair, gold in their teeth, stones in their kidneys, lead in their feet, and gas in their stomachs!"

"I have become a little older since I saw you last and a few changes have come into my life since then. Frankly I have become quite a frivolous old gal! I am seeing five gentlemen every day! As soon as I wake up, Will Power helps me get out of bed, then I see John, then Charley Horse comes along. And when he is here he takes a lot of my attention."

"After I get rid of Charley Horse, Arthur Ritis shows up and stays the rest of the day. He doesn't like to stay in one place long so he takes me from joint to joint. After such a busy day, I'm really tired and glad to go to bed with Ben Gay. What a life!"

"Oh yes, the Preacher came to call the other day. He said at my age I should be thinking of the 'Hereafter.' I told him, 'Oh, I do all the time. No matter where I am, in the parlor, upstairs, in the kitchen, or down in the basement, I ask myself -- What am I here after.'"

"Love Ya,  
Grandma"

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Webster spent the past week in Florida with John Kallis.

The Rev. Mowery's message on Sunday, March 15, was "Righteous-

ness, Repercussions, and Rewards." Two men from Michigan were at the Bethel Alliance Church last Sunday and furnished music and songs. It was very nice.

## West Bethel



by Karen Jordan

Fred and I love adventure, especially if it involves wild Maine animals and getting out into the wilderness. As I reported in last week's paper, we were up to our necks in rutted, snowy road conditions with no food and no idea how far the road to Boscobuck would be navigable. We had been traveling north on the only road along this western border of Maine.

The road had gradually risen to where we had a good view of a lengthy body of water. I asked Fred to stop for a look and so I could get my bearings. On the left spilled fresh water from the mountainous outcroppings. Glimpses of Umbagog or maybe Azischoos were off to our right. I got out the beloved Gazetteer to confirm our location, which appeared to be somewhere between Pamachenee Lake and Azischoos. I know Fred is wondering where I am taking us and wishing for a hot cup of coffee. I confidently state that we are looking at Azischoos Lake on one side and Boscobuck Mountain on the other.

Moose tracks are sighted all around in the snowy fields, which brightens Fred's interest, but no other signs of life are noted. Mile marker (we're guessing) number 11 appears and the road goes on. Who is marking the area? Are these signs for the loggers or the camps? Mead Paper Company signs were posted earlier, but it's been a while since we passed the log yards. The map says we're in Parker Township or maybe we've made it into Lynchtown Township.

We're seeing snowmobile tracks now. Earlier there were signs which forbid man and machine and now the sides of the road and snowbanks appear laden with their concentration.

The road suddenly becomes narrow and Fred announces to the crowd -- "That's the end of the trek, that's all she wrote!" I felt a great disappointment that we had traveled 12 miles into the Maine woods to turn around (maybe if we're lucky) and somehow get back to Wilson's Mills, where this off-road excursion had so spontaneously begun.

We can see the end of the road which turns into a snowmobile trail.

To our right a hidden road turns and rapidly plummets snake-like toward the lake we had seen earlier. A modest sign appears with the words "Boscobuck Mountain Camps" hand painted in small letters. The private drive to Boscobuck is open but steep and foreboding. We approach the slippery, narrow way and wonder if we should get out and walk, but we opt for the excitement of spinning around and slamming into a tree or not being able to climb back out.

We are very excited now and I am screaming, "The road is open all the way! I can't believe we made it!" Just as the main lodge came into sight, we met a snowmobile, then another and another. They were weaving about between the outbuildings as we notice a large gas tank, woodpile, and signs of the camp being open. Fred couldn't wait to get out of the Blazer to check this place out.

A man met us on the deck outside the kitchen and told us to go around to the front porch and come right in. The main lodge had been refurbished but retained its woody character. In the dining area two couples sat in heavy suits and sipped hot beverages. A nice young man brought us hot coffee, and we discussed how they had decided to keep the kitchen open serving hot drinks and dinners by reservation.

I mentioned that I knew the original owner's daughter and he gestured toward the wall and said, "Oh, you mean Perley Flint?" It was Perley all right as I had seen the picture before in Marguerite's collection. We had a tour of the main lodge including the kitchen. I wanted Fred to see the individual cabins where hunters and fishermen have rested for 89 years. There were pictures on the walls of Perley and other fly-fishing enthusiasts camped out in tents and rough-looking shelters (before the cabins were built).

Boscobuck Camps sit proudly upon the bank at the confluence of the Big and Little Magalloway rivers, 30 miles northwest of Rangeley. They are surrounded by 250,000 acres of lakes, rivers, mountains, and wilderness.

We could have stayed longer but our home-lives called us back. We hurried along to the Blazer warmed by the generosity of the folks at Boscobuck and the complimentary coffee. We were told that the camps are just off the ITS Snowmobile Trails and folks do drop in and come up from Rangeley for dinners. We decided we would get Rodney and Carol and return for dinner, maybe next Sunday. For reservations and information, call 207-474-5903.

## East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

If anyone wants limbs that came down during the Ice Storm of 98, you must register at the town office before April 20. It will help if you have an idea how much or how many you take. The limbs must be by the road on or before April 20. I don't know if the limbs will be picked up on April 20.

Polly Smith went with Roger and Louise Twitchell on March 11 to the Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting at the Jackson-Silver Legion Post in Locke Mills. Dinner was a chicken pot pie.

Jim and Donna Bernard of Andover visited Polly Smith on March 15.

Marilyn Mollicone of Augusta visited Nina Mollicone and Leslie Noyes on March 15.

Conrad and Carolyn Grant of Winterport visited Leslie Noyes on March 7.

Mellen Kimball is doing well. He still has some trouble swallowing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kimball and children visited Paul and Charlotte Kimball on March 15.

Geneva Pelletier of Manchester, N.H., visited Faye Kimball and Andre and Flossie Bernier on March 14 and 15. She visited Paul and Charlotte Kimball on March 15 before heading back to Manchester.

Jeff Hastings and family of Corinna visited Sonny and Bettyann Hastings on March 7 and 8.

Julie Hastings of Nashua, N.H., visited Sonny and Bettyann Hastings on March 7 and 8. There was more taping for the special that will be shown on PBS in May. There is now advertising on the Internet for this show.

Jerry Bernier is home from the Maine Maritime Academy for spring break, from March 8 to 22.

## Mason Township



by Richard Grover

Every now and then, if we're lucky, we encounter or learn about a very special group of people, quite often in a small town somewhere. Well, I'm here to tell you that we have one such group right here at the West Bethel Union Church. Now, I admit this church isn't in Mason, but a sizable percentage of the regular congregation comes from here.

There seems to be a unique bond among this group that manifests itself in unusually friendly and caring ways. What makes it all the more unusual is the diverse backgrounds of the members. We have long-time

residents of West Bethel, Bethel, Gilead, Mason and Shelburne, N.H., as well as ex-"flatlanders" and "ridge runners" from "out o' state" who have settled here from Massachusetts, Connecticut, West Virginia and Georgia. Education levels range from high school dropouts to people with master's degrees (maybe a doctorate, or two). Vocations (many retired) include farmers, loggers, mill workers, firemen, engineers, nurses, teachers, and military officers.

When all these people come together in church, they are as a loving and extended family, where everyone is made to feel welcome. Despite (perhaps because of) the usual number of tragedies like deaths of family members and numerous serious illnesses, these folks stick together and help one another. When you're sick and need a ride to somewhere, there are more volunteer drivers than you can use. In family emergencies where a wife or mother is ill or away, someone always brings food. If you're in the hospital, they send cards or come and visit. When I needed shots during my therapy, Jane Hosterman came by the shop and administered them there, so I didn't have to go to the Health Center and wait for a nurse. And there are the usual prayers for everyone who needs Divine or moral support.

Fellowship and church suppers are a sight to behold. There are always more delightful main dishes and home-baked pies than you can possibly sample at one sitting.

Periodically, someone will host-a get-together at his or her (theirs) home and invite the whole congregation. March 8, Bob and Camilla Everett hosted an "old mug" party at their home by the "four corners." (Although their home sits about 50 feet on the Bethel side of the Mason town line, we consider them "Masonites.") I had never been to an "old mug" party before, and I figured you were supposed to bring someone with an old face. Turns out, you were to bring an old coffee mug you were tired of and exchange it for someone else's. Kind of a neat idea!

There were plenty of refreshments, lots of fellowship and some of the same stories we had heard at the last get-together. Camilla had done a super job of preparing everything, except for one minor omission; she seemed to have had difficulty remembering all the steps involved in preparing the coffee maker. (Ask her for the details.) Seemed like the whole congregation showed up there, and then some! Why, there were people there I hadn't seen since the last funeral at the church. Where are all those people on Sunday morning?

## East Stoneham

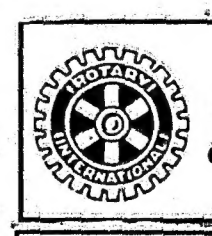


by Eleanor Nelson

Molly Nelson has been working for Albert E. Nelson Jr. recently. On March 4, at 7 p.m., there was a meeting at the East Stoneham Church. This was to talk about the finances and problems of the church. Thirteen townspeople met with the Rev. Jean Alexander, a conference minister of the U.C.C. who was there to discuss matters and to listen and make encouraging suggestions on the future of the church here. The regular church meeting is scheduled for March 18 at 7:10 p.m.

The Town Meeting was held at the Stoneham Fire Station community room with about 48 people there. John Woodbury was again the moderator for the meeting and Mary Fox was elected to the position of town clerk, secretary, treasurer and tax collector. This is a very responsible job and she does excellent work in it. Other news -- Peter Fox got off as selectman after 15 years and was recognized for his many years of faithful and good work. Ed Spooner was chosen to be a selectman for three years; Albert E. Nelson Sr. got sexton. Eleanor Nelson got off the cemetery.

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## E. Stoneham

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committee and Monika Spooner was elected to replace her.

At one point during the meeting James Tindler, a former selectman, read and discussed the papers that had been drawn up showing townspeople the 1998 Raise vs. General Fund Strategy, and how the cash flow plans work for the town. The schools get 59 percent, which is the highest expense, with highways next with 12 percent, operations 7 percent, salaries 6 percent, sanitation 5 percent and safety 5 percent. This was demonstrated with a pie-shaped form.

The 65 articles were voted on and things went along quite smoothly. Our Maine State Senator, Norman Ferguson, was there briefly and was recognized.

The Firearm's Auxiliary arranged and put on the noontime lunch, which was well attended and appreciated. There was a lot of good food there to choose from. The meeting adjourned at about 1:30 p.m. and the town clerk swore the new officers in at that time.

"It sure didn't seem that spring is around the corner this morning with near zero weather and windy. We were invited to go to Bermuda in April. Maybe we should take them up on the offer."

"Have you gotten your corned beef and cabbage yet? We did yesterday. This seems to be a yearly custom now at St. Patrick's time (but I could eat it any time). St. Patrick's Day was one of Gladys Kilgore's favorite days."

Barry Andrews from Waterford has been doing work for Bud Wilson and Albert E. Nelson Sr. this week.

## Sunday River Valley



by Rockie Graham  
Wasn't Saturday an incredible day! The sun was shining when I left home. I was in

South Paris when it started to snow. I was driving the Chevy, so I was very careful driving home. Every time I put my foot on the brake, no matter how gently, the car pulled to the right, so I drove slowly and carefully all the way home. I guess that was the right strategy because there were many accidents throughout the area.

Once I got to Sunday River Road I thought I was home free, but no, there was a bad accident which I learned, later, was preceded by an even worse accident. There were two, three and four car accidents at suicide curve. I just can't understand what the thrill at taking that curve quickly is all about. There are always people going off the road.

I want to say hello to Brett and thank him for reading my column. It's always nice to be read.

Do not forget that the ski and sleigh is on March 20 (Friday) at Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Center. It is open to all, but free to Newry residents.

March 26 is the next Bethel Area Poets Society reading at Cafe diCocoa. It is at 7 p.m. and all are welcome. Prose writers can read short selections as well as poets reading their work.

I had to go door to door Sunday to try to get some friends on the ballot, and I got to see people that I never see. It was especially nice to see Becky Bailey. I may worry about her living alone there at the end of the road, but she looks well.

Get out and enjoy the sun when it peeks its way through. I hope we've seen the last of the cold snap, although we'll probably get a little more. That's all for now.

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## Greenwood City



by Colista Morgan  
This article was written by me 26 years ago today. Most of it fits today, Maine people know that the

weather can change fast and often. It has done so the last couple of weeks. Between storms I hiked the trails and climbed the hills. The scenery is the same but ever different.

"The voice of the wind was still and the sun usually bright. At times I sat on a rock where sleet and winter winds had broken limbs off a tree in the area nearby. There I watched the play of cloud shadows across the landscape. All around were tracks of woodland animals."

"One time I sat minute after minute waiting for the sun to appear, so that I might take a picture of a special scene. Overhead a crown of clouds floated, forming a gray-white umbrella. Even when the rest of the sky became entirely clear, this umbrella stayed stubbornly in place. I waited. Time went by. Finally the sun dropped below the crown of clouds and I snapped my picture."

"The waiting was pleasant, sitting there on a fallen tree surrounded by a silence of that March day, breathing the pure mountain air."

"A red squirrel made me a visit, folded his front feet and looked me over. Perhaps he didn't like what he saw for he ran away."

I have never forgotten the tranquility of a woodland trail and often wish I could follow them again.

Ann had a bad fall and injured her knee. She has been on crutches.

Leonard and Fay Holt have had several callers during the week.

I received a message from my sister in Texas that she is home from the hospital but goes with a wheel chair. My other sister who broke her hip is doing very well.

I have had a beautiful amaryllis plant in bloom all week. My cactus

plants have been in full bloom also. The pond is open in many places. It looks like spring but doesn't feel that way today, but the sun is bright.

## North Newry



by Gil Seeley

Call to worship was held at Owen and Sue Wight's on Sunday, March 5, at 9 a.m., with Pastor

Rodney Hanscom and daughter Nancy at the organ. The message of the day was -- "God or I?" from Psalms 27:14, "Wait on the Lord, be of good courage; and he shall strengthen in thine heart, wait I say on the Lord." Responsive reading was given by Bob Munro, and a special by Sue Wight and Gil Seeley. Next Sunday's service will be at the Wight's again. All are welcome.

The Newry Mothers Club met March 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Building, with substitute president Karlene Bachelder and Gil Seeley, Brenda Bartholomew, Patti Lowell, Laura Lowell and Joan Bartlett. Notes of the last meeting were read in the absence of secretary-treasurer, Olive Anderson. A letter from the president of Norway Bank was read, thanking the club on the deposit of the gift from the Albert Otten Foundation Trust. The mystery prize was won by Laura Lowell. The refreshment committee for the next meeting will be Karlene and Gil. -- April 13 at the same place at 7:30. Coffee and goodies were served by Patti and Laura, and a bingo game was played during the social hour. Then a special followed afterward, with the committee on a food sale, and the Mother/Daughter banquet on May 3. The food sale will be when the Bethel Foodliner store is available. We need more members. Please, won't you join? It's for your children's benefit.

Bowling at Oxford Lanes in Rumford one day last week, were Karlene Bachelder, Gil Seeley and

Eleanor Davis. On the first string, Karlene beat Gil by five pins. On the second string, Gil beat Karlene by nine pins. On the third string, Karlene beat Gil by one pin. So on the overall scores, Gil was high on the triples by three pins, and Karlene was high on the singles beating Gil by one pin. She had one strike and two spares and Gil had two spares.

"Briefly," There is no doubt that garlic has a powerful constitutional action, and that it has the power of raising the resistance of the body against infection.

## South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing

Vicky Hill and baby boy, Kendall, spent the day with Vicky's grandmother

Claribel Poland this week. Claribel's daughter, Donna Kushiba came for supper later that evening.

Gilman Tuell is doing a major job on his house. New siding and windows have been installed, it really looks very nice.

Leon Poland is running for selectman in the town of Woodstock this month.

Brandy Poland received the Best Defensive Player award in Girls' Varsity Basketball this year. In alpine skiing Matt Koskela received the Hustle Award. Congratulations to you both.

I've been trying to do a bit of spring cleaning, I'm real slow. Every year when I start we get winter back again.

Quote of the week: "I've learned that in today's world a stranger is a person who lives next door or across the hall."

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society, reports that he has given a small cookbook, a children's book on King Arthur, and a book on Pocahontas, and a two-volume "History of Civilization" to the museum. The society makes the past come alive for visitors. It recreates long ago.

## Andover



by Karen McKay

On Friday night, March 6, the Awana program at Calvary Congregational Church held its Sixth Annual Grand Prix. All in attendance had a good time. Judges for the events were Earle and

Marge Towne and Ian Richardson. We wish to thank them for their time and know they had hard decisions to make. Each participant received a ribbon.

The following placed in Speed category: first, Nik Hammond; second, Jessica Farrington; third, Jessica Morin; fourth, Steven Chenery. Design category: first, Jessica Farrington; second, Ben Bailey; third, A.J. Clifford; fourth,

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GET READY TO DANCE!	Bumps! Pub Comedy George Ham 8:30 PM at Bumps! Pub	Happy St. Patrick's Day! Bumps! Pub Comedy 8:30 PM at Bumps! Pub	BLACK DIAMOND FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT SERIES Radical Radio Family Musical CALL 824-3575	PETTING ZOO 9 PM at Bumps! Pub	9 PM at Bumps! Pub	Boaty Affair 9:30 PM at White Cap Lodge
U.S. Freestyle Championships Qualifier March 17-21 Bethel/L.L.Bean Winter Carnival March 21-22			BLACK DIAMOND FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT SERIES Yale Symphony Orchestra Pops Concert CALL 824-3575	BONEHEADS 9 PM at Bumps! Pub	9 PM at Bumps! Pub	Dub Station 9:30 PM at White Cap Lodge
9th Annual Eat the Heat Chili Cook-off Firefighters Race	Sliders is OPEN! Do Lunch Sliders at the new restaurant located in the Jordan Grand Resort Hotel	Bumps! Pub Comedy Dave Fitzgerald 8:30 PM at Bumps! Pub	Check it out! Masters of the Board CBS television event! A snowboard triathlon with halpipo, triple air and snowboard cross.	Broken Men 9:00PM 21+ PUB	Live music Belizbeha 1:00PM 21+ 13 cover	
1998 U.S. XENIX Snowboard Championships March 26-28	Bumps! Pub Comedy 8:30PM	APRIL 1 April Fool's Day! It's Primetime! for Ski & Sun Fun!	April 4-5, 1998 U.S. Open The 11th Annual Bust N' Burn Mogul Competition and the \$30,000 Great Eastern Shootout Find it at Sunday River 824.3000			

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## Andover

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Jessica Morin.

The Sparks Club raced matchbox cars for the Matchbox Derby. The following won in Speed category: first, Veronica Flynn; second, Lindsey Farrington; third, Tyler Larson.

Thanks to all who came and supported the clubbers for this event.

On Sunday, March 22, Dave and Loretta Kulp will be speaking at the Calvary Congregational Church at 10:45 a.m. Following the service there will be a dinner after which a video will be shown. The Kulp's will be going to Zambia, Africa, in a few months. All are welcome to come and join us.

Winners of the Ellis River Riders raffle were as follows: first — silver pendant, Dave Greig; second — quilt/pillow, Bev. Swan; third — nylon rain slicker, Allison Hanson; fourth — cante bag, Thelma Hooper.

## Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Don't forget the Town Meeting on Monday, March 23, at 7 p.m. at the Woodstock Elementary School.

Good News Club meets each Tuesday evening at the Baptist Church Annex from 6 to 7:15 p.m. Bryant Pond Hour on Channel TV is Wednesday at 3 p.m., Thursday at 7 p.m. and Saturday at 9 a.m.

On Sunday, March 22, Mr. Andrew Hawthorne, youth worker at the South Paris Baptist Church, will supply the pulpit in the morning service at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church. Pastor Hanson has resigned effective in May, after over 30 years as pastor of the Baptist Church.

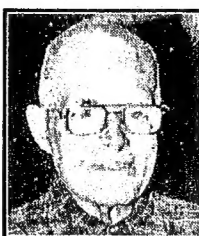
The Woodstock High School Alumni will meet at the home of Alice Hoyt on Tuesday, March 24. Anyone who wishes may attend this meeting. Plans will be started on the Alumni Banquet in June. Time is 7 p.m. This is the 30th anniversary of the last class to graduate from W.H.S. We would like some ideas from that class.

The Historical Society highlights our rich heritage. Curator Larry Billings has given the society a two-volume "History of Civilization" and a book on Pocahontas. The society notes a gardening program recently listed the following as the 10 most common backyard vegetables: tomatoes, corn, radishes, squashes, lettuce, onions, cucumbers, beans, peppers and carrots. We wondered a little that peas and beets were excluded.

The society has a beneficial influence on the members and visitors alike. It provides information

and educational programs and recreates the past with its exceptional exhibits. The curator arranges and catalogues the exhibits in the society's museum. A record of our holdings is important.

## High Street



West Paris by Russell Yates  
Howdy friends, it's cloudy, foggy and very mild here on High Street this

Tuesday morning, but they tell us that conditions will change later in the day and we'll freeze up once more. We got a lot of rain yesterday and that means a lot of water to run down back of our mobile home.

Last Monday afternoon Peggy went downtown to do errands. She was supposed to pick up Nancy Dewing at the insurance office, where she works, and then they were going to Wal-Mart to pick up a first aid kit for West Paris Grange. When Peggy called at the insurance office, she learned that Nancy had called in sick, as she had a bad cold or the flu. Peggy returned home and the first aid kit will have to wait until they can get together once more.

Tuesday evening, we attended the supper and meeting of Oxford Pomona Grange, which was hosted by Rumford Grange this month. We

enjoyed an excellent supper and a very good meeting. The program this month was of the musical variety and was enjoyed by all. The attendance wasn't too large, as many people have been sick with some of these viruses or the flu, but hopefully they will all be fully recovered by the next meeting, which will be hosted by Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond.

We were downtown twice on Friday. In the forenoon we went to get our weekly supply of groceries and to take care of various errands. We called at Market Square Nursing Home.

Hope Lovejoy and daughter, Faith, were in Waterville Monday. Faith plans to attend Thomas College and went for an interview that day.

Mary Lovejoy and Kathleen Holden were in Bethel Wednesday to visit Helena Bartlett at the Bethel House.

There will be dances at the Locke Mills Town Hall on March 21, and again on March 28, with Music by the Richard Felt Orchestra.

The ladies of West Paris Grange will be holding their Craft, White Elephant and Food Sale on May 2, from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m., at the Grange Hall. Much of the table space has already been reserved, so if you are interested in displaying your items for sale, contact Peggy Blake at 674-3872, or Mary Lovejoy at 674-2147, to reserve table space. A cookie walk and lunches will be on sale.

## Snowshoe Challenge

The 4th Western Maine Snowshoe Challenge will be held on Sunday, March 22, at 10 a.m. at the Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center in Newry.

The course has been structured to accommodate participants of all ages and abilities, with distances ranging from 3 km to 10 km. This family-oriented event will begin with a mass start following a course over the groomed sections of the cross-country ski trails, through woods and fields with a few fun obstacles added for interest.

The \$15 registration fee includes trail fees, refreshments, a grab bag of products from all participating sponsors as well as a commemorative mug for each of the first 75 registrants. Awards will be presented only to participants in the 10 km event in the following age categories: 19 years and under, 20-29 years, 30-39 years, 40-49 years and 50 years and over. For those wishing to just join in the fun, a \$7 entry fee will be required to cover trail fees only, no awards or prizes.

Pre-registration is encouraged. Registration March 22 will be held between 9 and 9:45 a.m. at the Cross Country Ski Center Lodge. Rentals can be obtained at most cross-country ski centers and a few of the local ski shops.

The event is being sponsored in part by Bethel Family Dentistry and the Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center. All proceeds from this benefit will go to help the Mahoosuc Arts Council bring artists and performances to the schools and communities in the SAD44 area. For more information, call 875-2009.

## TRI-TOWN VARIETY SHOW

Tri-Town Rescue will host a variety show on Friday, April 3, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Agnes Gray School gym. Dale and Cindy with the Black Mountain Band are key to the entertainment.

Joe Perham will emcee the evening and share some of his local Maine humor.

The opening number, also a Tri-Town tradition, should bring tears of laughter.

Other entertainers include Tim and Rick Blake and their sons, Jewell Clark on the guitar and the Jordan sisters dancing.

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## Activities

**Tuesdays--Clogging** at Newry Grange. Beginners start at 5:30 p.m. and continue with experienced cloggers from 6 to 7:30 p.m. No charge. Sponsored by the Newry Recreation Committee. For further information call Nancy at 824-2115.

**Tuesdays, 3 to 5 p.m.** Computer Lab time at the Adult Learning Center, Bethel (Windows 95, MS Office 97, and Internet). Public users must have their own e-mail account with a provider or may use one of the free e-mail services available on the Internet. Lee Dolleman supervises the lab.

**Tuesdays--A Course in Miracles** study group meets 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Ripley Center, 52 High Street, South Paris. Newcomers welcome. Teaches how to heal relationships by changing one's perception. For information call (743-9373).

**Mondays and Wednesdays--Alcohol/Drug Treatment Program** available at Bethel Family Health Center. For information call 743-7580.

**Friday, March 20, Night ski** and sleigh rides at Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Center. Ski to the fire pit to roast hot dogs and marshmallows and drink cocoa (6 to 9 p.m.). Sleigh rides from 6:30 to 8 p.m. No charge for Newry residents and skis are available. All are welcome. Sponsored by the Newry Recreation Committee and Steve and Peggy Wight.

Jim Gallant (acoustic guitar and vocals) will be featured at Rumford Coffee House located at the United Methodist Church, 198 Linnell Street. For information call 545-2413 or 364-2617.

Audubon Society of New Hampshire monthly meeting, 7 p.m., at New Hampshire Technical College, Berlin. Program: "Ducks of the Androscoggin." For information call 603-752-1924 or 603-449-1376. Public invited.

**Saturday, March 21, 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.**--Oxford County Retired Teachers Association meeting at West Paris American-Finnish Heritage Hall with entertainment by the Sweet Adelines and a book sale.

**First Annual Spring Carnival** sponsored by Telstar Middle School Student Council, 4 to 7 p.m. at Telstar. Childcare available ages two and up (\$2). For more information, call Mrs. Tamara Davis at 824-2537.

**Baked Ham Supper** (baked ham, potatoes, peas, carrots, homemade biscuits, desserts), 4 to 7 p.m. at Rock-O-Dundee Riders Club House, East Oxford. Price: \$5 for adults and \$3 for under 12. For information call 539-2325.

**Saturday and Sunday, March 21 and 22--8th Annual Bethel Winter Festival** (rescheduled), hosted by L.L. Bean and Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Five event locations: Bethel Inn, Sunday River Ski Resort, Mt. Abram, Carter's Cross Country Ski Center and Sunday River Inn Cross Country Ski Center. Available for one fee: \$20 for one day, \$30 for two days (adults), \$10 for one day or \$15 for two days (youth ages 7 to 15) and children under seven free. Pre-registration may be made by calling 1-800-341-4341, ext. 26666 or register at the Bethel Inn Conference Center the day of the event.

**Card Party, 1 p.m.**, at the American Legion Hall, Locke Mills to benefit the Junior Auxiliary. Donation: \$5.

**"Bowl For Kids Sake"**--the largest annual fundraiser for Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oxford County, will take place at Oxford Bowling Center, South Paris. Community businesses and individuals can support this very worthwhile fundraiser by organizing teams of four to six people, collecting pledges and scheduling a time to bowl. Prizes. For more information, call Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oxford County at 743-2991.

**Sunday, March 22, 10 a.m.**--4th Western Maine Snowshoe Challenge at Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center, Newry, sponsored by Bethel Family Dentistry and Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center. For more information call 875-2009.

**Monday, March 23, 7 to 8:30 p.m.**--Planning and planting a perennial garden discussion and slide show by Michael Murphy at McLaughlin Foundation, corner of Main Street and Western Avenue, South Paris. Cost: \$15 (if not enrolled in both sessions).

**Tuesday, March 24, 7 p.m.**--West Paris Elementary District Orchestra Concert at the Rowe School.

**Woodstock High School Alumni** meeting at the home of Alice Hoyt, Bryant Pond, at 7 p.m.

**Wednesday, March 25, 7 p.m.**--Maine French Fiddlers will be presented as part of Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series at the North and South Ballroom of Summit Hotel, Sunday River. Admission: \$3 for under 12 and \$5 for adults (tickets available at the door). Call 824-3575 for information.

**Friday, March 26, Bethel Family Health Center** annual meeting and dinner at Crescent Park School. Hor d'oeuvres 5:30 to 6 p.m., buffet dinner at 6 p.m. Meeting will start at 7 p.m. Tickets: \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for under 12. Open to all residents of Central and Northern Oxford County. RSVP helpful. For information and registration, call 824-2193.

**Bethel Area Poets Society** reading at Cafe diCocoa, 7 p.m. All are welcome.

**Saturday, March 28, 5 p.m. and 7 p.m.** (two settings)--Potluck Benefit Supper for Special Olympics at Bethel United Methodist Church, Main Street--adults, \$5; children, \$2.50.

**Bethel Recreation Board's** annual tryouts for Bethel baseball teams will take place from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at Gould Academy Field House.

**Sunday, March 29--Community Free Ski Day** at Sunday River Ski Resort.

**Friday, April 3, 7 to 9 p.m.**--Variety Show, sponsored by Tri-Town Rescue, at Agnes Gray School gym. Dale and Cindy with Black Mountain Band, Joe Perham, emcee, Tim and Rick Blake and sons, Jewell Clark and Jordan sisters will be featured entertainers. Proceeds will go to Tri-Town Rescue.

**Monday, April 6, 7 p.m.**--Andover Olde Home Days committee meeting at Marshall Meisner's home, Andover.

**Wednesday, April 8, 11 a.m.**--Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting and dinner at the Bethel Methodist Church.

## Library Hours

**Andover Library:** Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Story hour for preschoolers, Thursdays, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

**Bethel Library:** Monday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian.

**Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond:** Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. **Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill:** Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

**West Paris Library, West Paris:** Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

**Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover:** Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

## Church Services

### Bethel

**West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass,** 10:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m.

**Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant,** 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service

**Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Lawrence Conley, Mass--Saturday, 4 and 5:30 p.m.**

**Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowery,** 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.

**United Methodist--Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, Pastor,** 10 a.m. Sunday worship. Nursery care provided.

**West Bethel Union--Rev. Joyce Scott,** 9 a.m. worship and church school.

**Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen,** 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship.

**Episcopalian House Church--at Bohrs'** on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of the month. 824-2913. Ash Wednesday: Service on Feb. 25 at 5 p.m.

**Church of Christ--at home of Keith Hamel, minister,** 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

### Woodstock

**Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Linwood Hanson,** 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

**Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Richard Wright** (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

**Unitarian Universalist--Sunday** worship service, 9 a.m., first and third Sunday of each month.

### Andover

**First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich,** 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. beginning Oct. 21.

**Calvary Congregational Church--Winter** hours: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., worship service 10:45 a.m., fellowship brunch following. Wed. nights, Bible study and prayer meeting, 6:45 p.m. Rev. Duane Waite.

### Locke Mills

**Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks,** 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

### East Stoneham

**East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox,** 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

### Newry

**Newry Community Church--Sunday** worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor.

### Albany

**Congregational Church - Hunt's Corner,** 9:30 a.m. Sunday summer worship, March 30 through November. Pastor Eddie Gammon.

### Norway/Paris

**Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)--** Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church--** Route 117N, S. Paris, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10:15 a.m. worship followed by coffee fellowship. Summer service 9 a.m.

**West Paris Baptist--Pastor Gordon DeHaas.** Sunday worship 9 a.m., 6:45 p.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

**North Paris Baptist--Sunday** worship 10:30 a.m.

**Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)--** Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

### Rumford Point

**Rumford Point Church--** Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

### Seasonal only:

**Every Saturday: Bethel Farmers' Market,** Bethel Area Health Center parking lot, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. Locally grown produce and local goods.

## Monthly Meetings

**Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group,** Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

**First Monday: V.F.W., Lions' Hall,** Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587.

**First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen** meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Vegetarian Eating Group** meets at Cafe diCocoa in Bethel from 5-7 p.m. Everyone welcome. For more info call 824-JAVA.

**Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club** meets, 7:30 p.m.

**Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17,** Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 665-2460.

**Fibromyalgia Syndrome- Chronic Fatigue Syndrome** meeting, Bethel Family Health Center, 7 p.m. For info, call 824-3232.

**Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors** meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

**The Gilead Fire Department** meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

**Bethel Airport Authority,** 7 p.m. Call town office for meeting place in Feb. and March.

**Third Monday: Western Maine Foothills Toastmasters,** 6:30 p.m. Dirigo High School, Dixfield. Call 562-4931 for info.

**Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers** rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church.

**Grief group** (for the loss of a loved one) meets from 6-8 p.m. in the conference room of the Bethel Family Health Center.

**First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board** meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

**Upton selectmen** meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

**Windy Valley Snowmobile Club** meets at Newry Town Office, 7 p.m.

**First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen** meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

**The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN)** Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

**The Bethel Lions Club** meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.

**Bethel Area Promise Keepers,** 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion,** meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

**Telstar Alumni Association** meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

**Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board** meets at 7 p.m.

**Ladies' Bible Fellowship,** 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance** at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

**Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club** meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

**Greenwood Board of Selectmen** meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Andover Board of Selectmen** meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

**Newry Board of Selectmen** meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

**Cross-Country Quilters** meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

**First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES,** 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

**Greenwood Historical Society** meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

**Gilead selectmen** meet at Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group,** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

**Western Maine Foothills Toastmasters,** 6:30 p.m., Dirigo High School, Dixfield. Call 562-4931 for info.

**Second Wednesday: CPS/PTA** meets from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

**First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board,** Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board** meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War,** H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 928-2611.

**Women's Fellowship,** West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

**Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly),** 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**First Thursday: United Methodist Women** meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

**Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House,** 7:30 p.m.

**Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce** meets at Crescent Park School conference room, 7:30 a.m.

**Newry Fire Auxiliary** meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.**

**First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills,** 7 p.m.

**Fourth Thursday: Bethel Area Poets Society** Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

**Every Thursday: Andover Water District Board of Directors** meets at 7 p.m. at 28 S. Main St. (Next meeting Jan. 8 at 7:30 p.m.)

**West Paris Board of Selectmen** meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

**Middle and High School Youth Groups,** 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association** meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

**Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF,** 7:30 p.m.

**Every Friday: Game Party** at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

**First Saturday: Western Maine Mountain Jeepers** meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

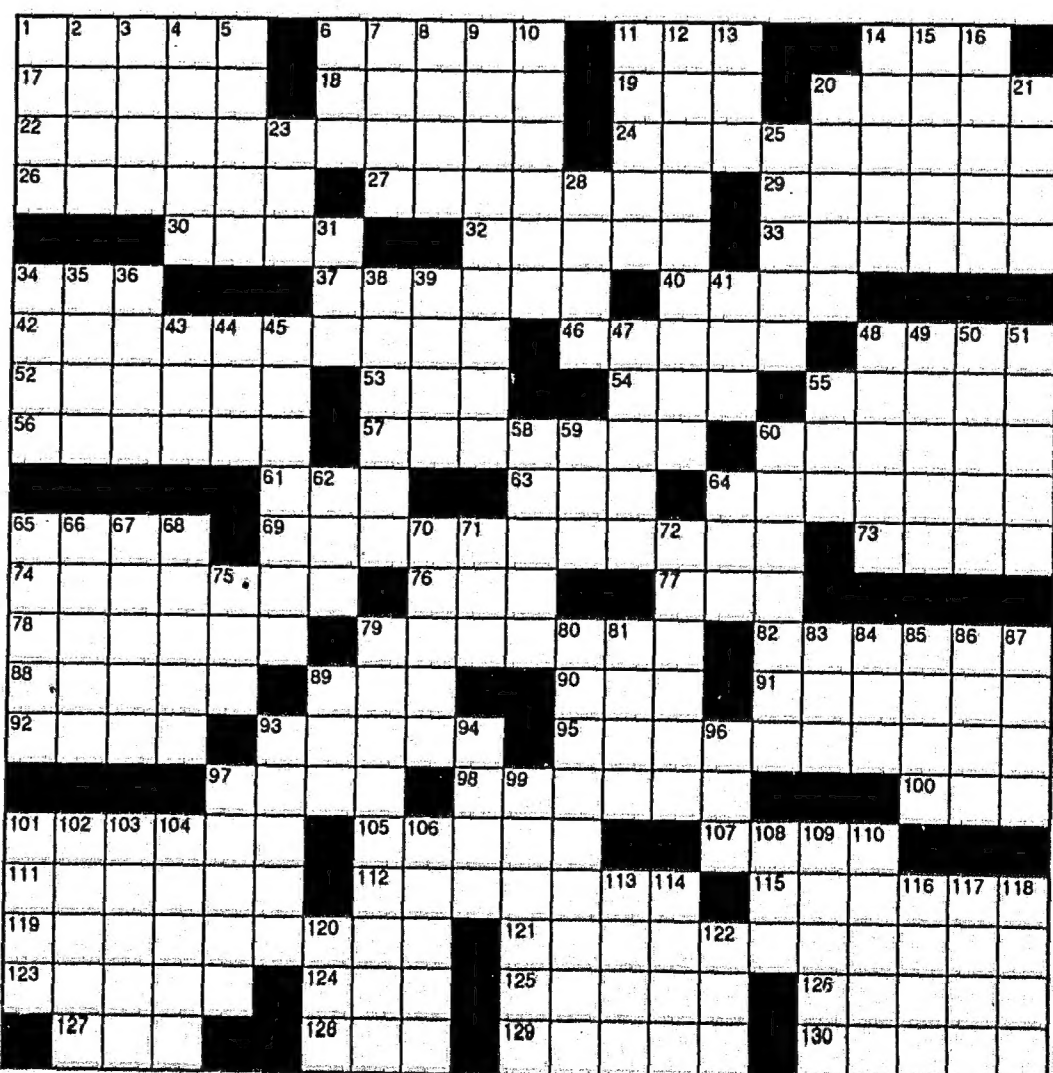
**Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society** meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

**Last Saturday: Upton Planning Board** meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The deadline is Monday noon.

## Super Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 It's tossed with sauce  
6 Printer's stroke  
11 Fast way to the UK  
14 Letter writer's second addendum; abbr.  
17 Cast member  
18 Barbecue lure  
19 "Golchali"  
20 Hood's "handle"  
22 "Tales from Shakespeare" author  
24 Elmer Fudd's nemesis  
26 Called  
27 Beautiful beryl  
29 Lose no time  
30 Slaughter or Cabell  
32 Cut into cubes  
33 On the beach  
34 Airport schedule abbr.  
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88 Spot in the sea  
89 Sgt.'s subordinate  
90 "live and breathe!"  
91 Proliferation  
92 Hart or hind  
93 Orchestra section
- 95 Colbar/ MacMurray comedy  
97 Shooting match?  
98 Slick together  
100 Speck  
101 He's got shingles  
105 "I Got --" (73 tune)  
107 Melodious  
111 Green, perhaps  
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115 Fill with fizz  
119 Cartoon  
121 Yvonne DeCarlo TV role  
123 Cuts calories  
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125 "Gay"  
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127 Mr. Rogers  
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48 Poisonous  
49 Actress Ekberg  
50 Scout's mission, for short  
51 Date upon  
55 Last letter, in Oxford  
58 Ceremonies  
59 Zipper part  
60 Wild horse  
62 Boathouse item  
64 Yodeler's perch  
65 Cutliffish kin  
66 It's taken by nurses  
67 Bridal path?  
68 In music, what the time signature indicates  
70 Paisley skirts  
71 -- Marie  
72 "The Marshes of Glynn" poet  
75 Offensive time in 1968  
79 Landslide  
80 Author Mansfield  
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82 Wimbledon winner  
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85 Gauda garbage  
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96 Ending for chariot or puppet  
97 17th-century diarist  
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## Agnes Gray School



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March is Music in Our Schools month. Several special events are being planned. There will be an Elementary District Orchestra Concert on March 24 at 7 p.m. at the Rowe School. Also, if you haven't had a chance to visit our own school for opening exercises at 8:50 a.m., this would be a good time to come. As part of a nationwide program called "Get America Singing Again," we gather in the gym each morning for the flag salute and singing. In addition to a patriotic song, we are learning lots of old favorites that are part of our history. This month we have been singing lots of Irish tunes.

March 19 is an early release day, and there is no school on Friday; March 20, as teacher workshops are planned.

The current ranking period ends on April 3, with progress reports going home on Friday, April 10. Parent-teacher conferences will be held on Monday, April 13. Slips will be coming home for parents to indicate their preference of an afternoon or evening conference.

The next Parent Volunteer meeting will be on Tuesday, April 14. We are doing more than fundraising, so join us if you can.

The fifth-grade D.A.R.E. graduation was a super event. There was standing room only. Many thanks to the Color Guard led by Ted Heidrich Sr. Also, we would like to thank Sheriff Herrick of Oxford County, Tony Milligan of the Maine Drug Enforcement Agency, and Deputy Phil Taylor, our D.A.R.E. officer, for presenting the program. Extra thanks to Principal Bill Koch for doing the emcee honors and Alta Pierce for playing our national anthem. Fifth-graders, William Miller, Joshua Skinner and Trisha Kenison read their essays, which told the audience some of the many things that they had learned in the D.A.R.E. program. Well done.

The third-grade Cool Kids are looking forward to their visit to Norlands Farm on Monday, March 23. Their pen pals from the Hebron School will be going with them. This is a journey back to the 1800s, as these classes have been studying westward migration and colonial life.

The second-graders have rescheduled their guest luncheon for Thursday, March 26, at 12 noon. They are looking forward to having family members eat lunch with them in their classroom.

Mr. Burke continues to encourage our children to learn more about computers. More and more students are taking advantage of on-line privileges with personal e-mail addresses. Each student must bring in a consent form called an AUP signed by a parent and themselves, agreeing to abide by the rules and regulations. The school does have a blocking mechanism which screens inappropriate sites, and helps prevent students from finding objectionable material on the Web.

All classes are working on the three r's ... reading, 'riting, and 'rithmetic. We are always busy.

### LOCALS CHALLENGE CONCLUDES

The Sunday River Locals Challenge, a weekly ski race among local and employee skiers, recently concluded its season. A total of 133 racers and 19 teams participated in the giant slalom competitions.

The top overall male and female winners, respectively, in three categories were: speed, Corey Roderick and Callie Phillips; points, Doug Bell and Sarah Petrin; snowboarders, Sean Bragdon and Jessica Williams. The top three overall team finishers were Motley Crew, Team Zilla and June Taylor Dancers.



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## school lunch menu

WEEK OF MARCH 23

### SAD44 Breakfast Program

Monday: Cereal breakfast.  
Tuesday: Cereal breakfast or bagel, cream cheese or jelly, fruit juice, milk variety.

Wednesday: Cereal breakfast.  
Thursday: Cereal breakfast or donut, fruit juice, milk variety.  
Friday: Cereal breakfast.

### SAD44 Lunch Program

Monday: Foot-long hot dog or hamburger, veggie bar, fruit bar, milk variety.

Tuesday: Cheeseburger/Mac, green beans, bread and butter opt., veggie bar, fruit bar, milk variety.

Wednesday: Cheese pizza or beef ravioli, bread and butter opt., veggie bar, fruit bar, milk variety.

Thursday: Sausage, muffin, scrambled eggs, one or two hash browns, apple juice, fruit variety, milk variety.

Friday: BBQ chicken pieces, chicken pilaf, bread and butter opt., veggie bar, fruit bar, milk variety.

## Bethel Rec schedules baseball tryouts

Bethel Recreation Board's annual tryouts for Bethel baseball teams will be held March 28 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the Gould Academy Field House. Boys will be evaluated in a number of skills and will be placed on teams based on age and ability. Everyone will be placed on a team.

The schedule will be: 7 and 8 year olds, 9 to 10 a.m.; 9 and 10 year olds, 10 to 11 a.m.; 11 and 12 year olds, 11 a.m. to 12 noon. Any boy that played on the major league team last year does not have to try

out this year. Softball, Babe Ruth and T-ball players do not have to try out at this date, but they must register by March 28.

Registration forms will be in the Crescent Park School Times, Telstar Middle School office, the town office or at the field house during registration. The fee is \$5 per player or \$10 per family for Bethel residents; \$10 per player or \$20 per family for non-residents. A birth certificate copy is also required for anyone that does not already have

one on file. A late fee of \$10 per player will be charged for registrations after March 28 and no registrations will be accepted after April 10.

Baseball levels are T-ball, age 5-8; Rookie, age 7-9; Minor, age 9-12; Bambino, age 9-12; Prep, age 13-15; Babe Ruth, age 13-15. Ages are determined as of Aug. 1, 1998. Softball players ages 8 through 15 must register.

Parents and friends who are interested in coaching are asked to contact Chris Olson at 824-3279.

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# The Satellite

News from School Administrative District #44: Andover • Bethel • Greenwood • Newry • Woodstock

## Higgins Serves on Visiting Committee

Sharon Higgins, a teacher at Telstar Regional High School, was invited to serve on the visiting committee which evaluated Deering High School in Portland from March 15 through 18. She helped review various educational components of the school and will assist in the preparation of the final report of the school's evaluation.

Founded in 1885, the New England Association is the oldest regional accreditation association in the country and is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education as the sole agency to award accreditation to educational institutions in New England.

The association is a voluntary organization of over 1,690 public and independent schools, colleges and universities, and vocational, technical and career institutions. Of these, approximately 672 public schools have been accredited through the association's



**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES**--The Telstar High School chapter of the National Honor Society recently inducted 13 new members. Pictured above are front (from left): Jessica Walker, Abbie Beane, Heather Best, Mary Ann Lowe, Toni Vacca, Gail Aloisio. Back: Erin Osgood, Heather Borst, Neil Thurlow, Matt Koskela, Grayson Wakefield, Benedicte Fanard, Julie Burgi.

Commission on Public Secondary Schools, which assists individual schools to improve the quality of education through a process of evaluation and accreditation.



## Multicultural Day Celebration

On Friday, March 5, the Crescent Park School students and staff participated in the second annual Multicultural Day celebration. This morning assembly marked the conclusion of two months' worth of study on various cultures by different grades at the school. The culminating event took place in the school's gymnasium and attracted a crowd of over 200 parents and community members.

Fifth-graders focused on the country of Japan and presented a wonderful Japanese play focusing on music and other cultural traditions of this country.

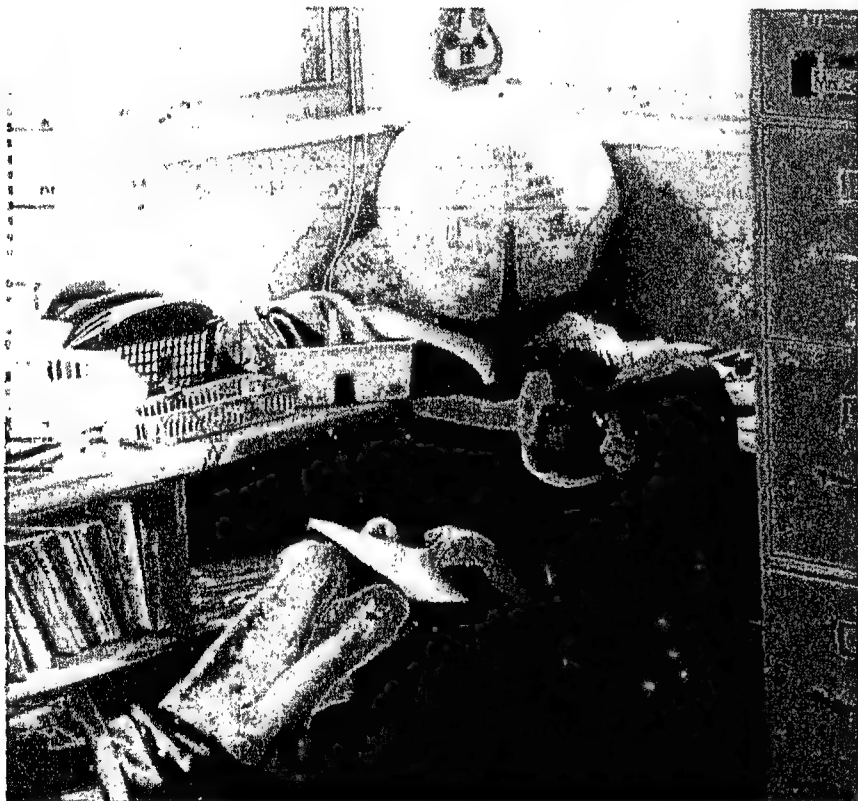


Kindergartners Nathan Rainey and Samantha Largess demonstrate their ability to eat with chopsticks during the week of the CPS Multicultural Fair. Kindergartners chose the country of China as the focus of their month-long unit.

Each grade level focused on a specific country and its culture. The emphasis in kindergarten was on China; grade one studied Mexico; grade two's area of focus included the entire continent of Africa, while grade three studied the country of Sweden. The emphasis for grade four this year was on Italy. Each grade level provided a summarizing performance of the

individual country studied. Throughout the course of the previous two months, thematic units focusing on these various countries with their cultures were integrated throughout the curriculum.

Those in attendance would agree that the culminating performance generated a great deal of enthusiasm among the students and visitors.



Telstar Middle School student Simon Dumont reads to his little sister and Crescent Park School student Felicia Dumont on Read Across America Day.

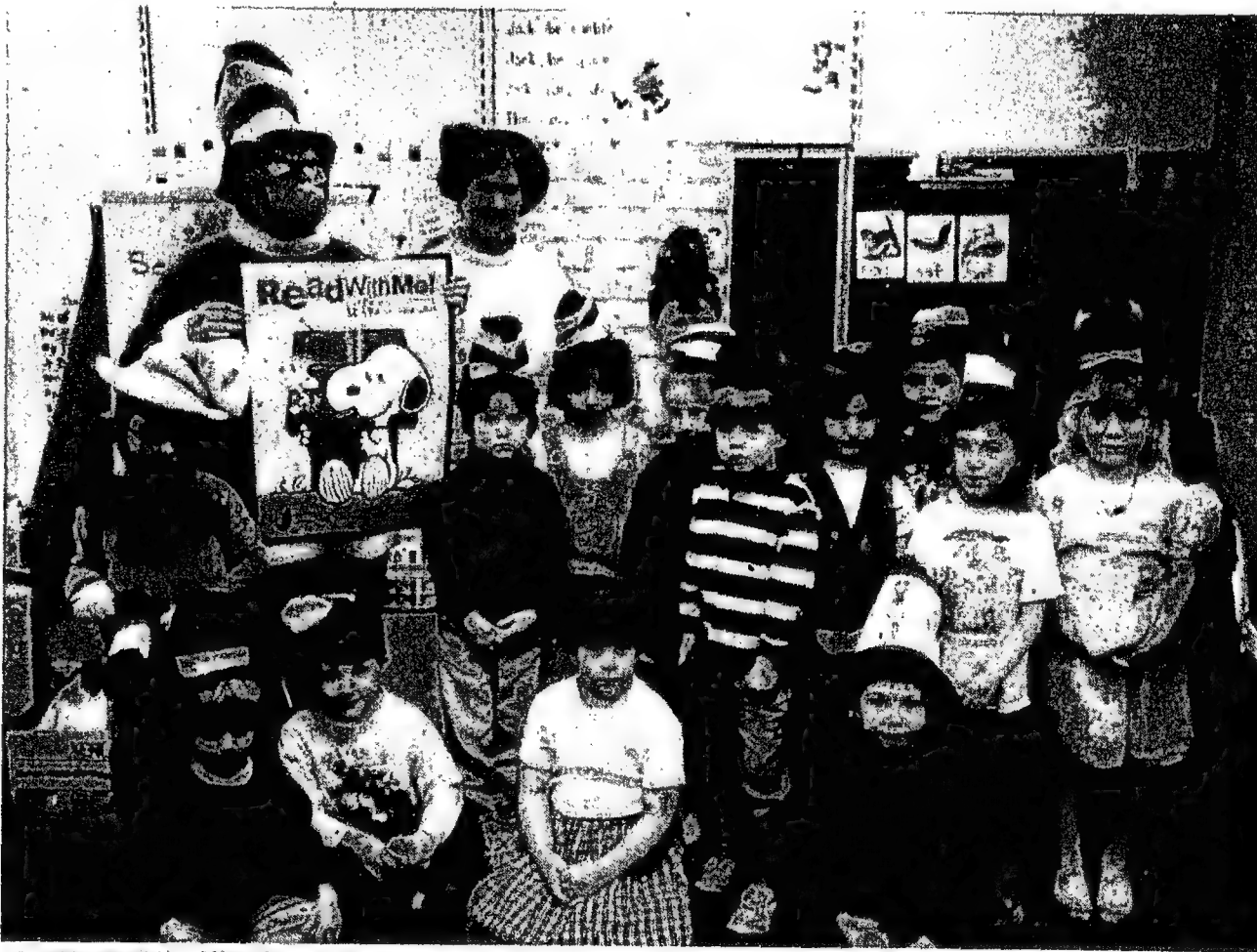
Kindergartners spent four weeks preparing for the Crescent Park Multi-Cultural Fair held this month. The students, who chose the country of China, painted Chinese lanterns used during their spring festival, made Ti Juan Zis (hackey sacks), paraded with dragon masks, and painted scrolls. They also sang a song in Chinese and used sign language to tell a bit about China. Students above, from left, Andrew Gould, Dustin Bradman, and Cynthia Mason.



Freddy Bailey designed the winning family crest entry during the recent Telstar Middle School Medieval Festival.



Kate Caddigan, Lauren Hart and Sasha Fritz dipped handmade candles during the recent Telstar Middle School Medieval Festival.



On March 2 the Woodstock Elementary School celebrated Theodore Geisel's birthday. Born in 1904 and a graduate of Dartmouth College, the author of "The Cat in the Hat" and many other children's stories, is known to most of us as Dr. Seuss. As part of a national effort to help encourage children to read, a number of special activities were offered. Mrs. Gallant's kindergarten class was visited by the "Grinch." This, of course, was a friendly "Grinch," who gave all of the children "Cat in the Hat" hats. Students had "green eggs and ham for lunch and Mrs. Eileen Storck, W.E.S. P.T.A. president, baked and served a wonderful Dr. Seuss birthday cake.

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## THURSDAY EVENING MARCH 19, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Cheers	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Houston Rockets					M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Roots			Roots					700 Club	
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Friends	Just Shoot	Seinfeld	Caroline	Seinfeld	Frasier	News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Prey		Movie: "Waterworld"				News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Mystery!				Bean File	Dad's Army	Red Green	
(22)	Sportsctr.	Bloopers	Cheerleading		Figure Skating: World Championships Exhibition				Sportscenter	
(34)	Dallas		Championship Rodeo		Prime Time Country		Today's Country		Dallas	
(13)	Frasier	College Basketball: NCAA Tourn. Regional Semi. -- Teams TBA			College Basketball: NCAA Tourn. -- Teams TBA					
(41)	Celics	Sports	Boxing: Fight Night at the Great Western Forum		Boxing: Heavyweight Explosion -- Fighters TBA					
(15)	Movie: "Airplane!" Cont'd	Real Sports			Movie: "Top of the World"				Taxicab Confessions 3	
(17)	Movie: "Pippi Longstocking"				Movie: "The Secret Garden"		Growing	Growing	Walt Disney Presents	
(18)	"La Bamba" Cont'd		Movie: "Gigi"				Movie: "The Craft"			
(20)	Front Row	NHL Hockey: Toronto Maple Leafs at Boston Bruins					Sports	FOX Sports News		
(44)	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries			Movie: "Awake to Danger"			Attitudes	Golden	
(5)	Griffith	Griffith	WCW Thunder				Movie: "Total Recall"			
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Alex Mack	Bewitched	WonderYr	WonderYr	HappyDay	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi
(25)	"The Mountain" Cont'd		Movie: "The FBI Story"				Movie: "Thunderhead: Son of Flicka"			
(26)	Highlander: The Series	Walker, Texas Ranger			Movie: "The Madding"		Silk Stalkings			
(27)	Law & Order	Biography					Unexplained		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		Dawson's Creek		News		Beverly Hills, 90210	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports Illus.	Moneyline

## FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 20, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier		Movie: "Out of the Rain"			News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Naomi Judd		Rescue 911				Diagnosis Murder	Hawaii Five-0	700 Club	
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Players		Dateline		Homicide: Life		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Sabrina	Boy-World	Sabrina	Hiller-Diller	20/20		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	MontyPyth	Monty Python	MontyPyth	Monty Python		
(22)	Sportsctr.	Billiards: 9-Ball			Superbouts		Boxing	Sumo	Sportscenter	
(34)	Dallas				Auto Racing: Arena Truck Challenge				Dallas	
(13)	Frasier	College Basketball: NCAA Tourn. Regional Semi. -- Teams TBA			College Basketball: NCAA Tourn. -- Teams TBA					
(41)	College Hockey	College Hockey: Hockey East Tournament Semifinal -- Teams to Be Announced			Celics		Sports			
(15)	"The Break" Cont'd		Movie: "Meet Wally Sparks"		Movie: "High Voltage"				Dennis M.	
(17)	Movie: "That Dam Cat"				Movie: "Adventures in Babysitting"		Donald Duck		Walt Disney: DCrockett	
(18)	Movie: "Big Bully" Cont'd		Movie: "Commandments"		Indepndc		Movie: "Presumed Innocent"			
(20)	College Hockey: ECAC Tournament Semifinal -- Teams to Be Announced				FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News			
(44)	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries			Movie: "Mixed Blessings"			Attitudes	Golden	
(5)	Griffith	Griffith	Dinner		Movie: "Edward Scissorhands"				"Back to the Future"	
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Kablam!	Bewitched	WonderYr	WonderYr	HappyDay	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi
(25)	"Strangers on a Train"		Movie: "With a Song in My Heart"				Movie: "Gun for a Coward"		Omega	
(26)	Highlander: The Series	Walker, Texas Ranger			Figure Skating: Champions on Ice			Movie: "Pet Sematary"		
(27)	Law & Order	Biography			America's Castles		20th Century		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	NBA Basketball: Vancouver Grizzlies at Chicago Bulls				News		Beverly Hills, 90210	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports Illus.	Moneyline

## SATURDAY EVENING MARCH 21, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Mad-You		Movie: "Doing Life"			News	Cheers	Star Trek: Voyager	
(32)	"Blazing Saddles" Cont'd			"Loyal Opposition: Terror in the White House"			Movie: "Murder Times Seven"			
(6)	Honey, I Shrunk the Kids	TV Censored Bloopers			Profiler		News	Sat. Night		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funniest Home Videos		Nothing Sacred		Saturday Night	News	Psi-Factor	
(10)	Financial Free		Your Financial Future				Jonathan Pond's Tax Party			
(22)	LPGA Golf	Sportsctr.	Women's College Basketball				Women's College Basketball: NCAA West Semifinal			
(34)	Week-Country	Opry	Grand Opry		Stellar Bros.		Gaither Gospel Hour	Opry	Grand Opry	
(13)	College Basketball		Medicine Woman		Magnificent Seven		Walker, Texas Ranger	News		
(41)	Celics	Last Word	College Hockey: Hockey East Tournament Championship -- Teams TBA				College Hockey			
(15)	Movie: "Mission: Impossible"				Movie: "Always Outnumbered"			Tribute to Monty Python		
(17)	Movie: "The Mighty Ducks"				Movie: "Flight of the Navigator"			Goofy	Walt Disney Presents	
(18)	Movie: "Twister" Cont'd		Movie: "Diabolique"				Movie: "Dead Tides"			
(20)	Rinkside	Board Wild			SnowMotn	WinterRge	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News		
(44)	Indiscretion-Wife		Movie: "Jack Reed: One of Our Own"				Movie: "Jack Reed: A Search for Justice"			
(5)	WCW Saturday Night		Movie: "Rain Man"					"Saturday Night Fever"		
(24)	Doug	Beavers	Rugrats	All That	Sports Theater	WonderYr	WonderYr	HappyDay	HappyDay	
(25)	Movie: "The Young Philadelphians" Cont'd				Movie: "The Pleasure of His Company"			Old Man & Sea		
(26)	"Moby Dick" Cont'd				Movie: "Moby Dick"			Movie: "Ruby Jean and Joe"		
(27)	Mysteries of the Bible	Biography This Week			Investigative Reports		Michael Bolton: Live by Request			
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Riches	Movie: "Where the Heart Is"				News	Coach	Final Court.	
(39)	Capital	Sports Illus.	World	Business	Larry King Weekend		World	Capital	CNN/Sports Illustrated	

## SUNDAY EVENING MARCH 22, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Movie: "The Russia House" Cont'd			Cheers			Wild Things		News	Viper
(32)	Movie: "Thrill"						Movie: "Columbo: Murder in Malibu"			Hawaii Five-0
(6)	Dateline		Dateline				Movie: "I've Been Waiting For You"		News	Outer Limits
(8)	Movie: "The Little Rascals"						Movie: "Blood on Her Hands"		News	Paid Prog.
(10)	Women's Bodies, Women's Minds-Mind Body						Women's Bodies, Women's Choices		Mystery!	
(22)	LPGA Golf	Sportsctr.	NHL Hockey: New York Rangers at Philadelphia Flyers						Sportscenter	
(34)	Outdoor	Basmastr.	In-Fish	Bill Dance	Championship Rodeo		Fishing	Fishin'	ClassicCar	NASCAR
(13)	60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel				Movie: "It Could Happen to You"		News	
(41)	IHL Hockey: Chicago at Grand Rapids						College Hockey: Hockey East Tournament Championship -- Teams TBA			
(15)	"Multiplicity" Cont'd				Movie: "The First Wives Club"			Sanders	Movie: "The Devil's Own"	
(17)	Going Wild!	Omba	Timon	Aladdin	Walt Disney Presents			Movie: "Treasure Island"		
(18)	"Independence Day"				Movie: "Children of a Lesser God"			Movie: "Network"		
(20)	Preseason Baseball: Red Sox vs. Twins				Goin' Deep			FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	
(44)	Love and Betrayal		Movie: "Madonna: Innocence Lost"				Intimate Portrait	Barbara Walters		
(5)	National Geographic Explorer						Doomsday Plan	Fire From the Sky	National Geo.	
(24)	My Brother	All That	Shelby Woo	Nick News	Bewitched	Bewitched	HappyDay	HappyDay	Newhart	Newhart
(25)	"Patton"	Screen			Movie: "The King and I"				Movie: "Julia"	
(26)	Movie: "Roxanne" Cont'd		Pacific Blue				Silk Stalkings		La Femme Nikita	Big Easy
(27)	Ancient Mysteries		Biography Presents				Hollywoodism: Jews-American Dream		Biography	
(12)	Nick Freno	Parent	Sister, Sis.	Jamie Foxx	Unhappily	Alright	News	Replay	Coach	Nightman
(39)	World	Sports Illus.	Perspectives		70 Years of Gold		Impact		Sports Illus.	NBA Wk.

## MONDAY EVENING MARCH 23, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Cheers	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Chicago Bulls					M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Wallons		Rescue 911		Diagnosis Murder		Hawaii Five-0		700 Club	
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Suddenly	HouseRul	Caroline	Truth	Law & Order		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Barbara Walters		Academy Awards					
(10)	News-Lehrer		Capitol Connection		American Experience		Marshall Plan		Antiques Roadshow	
(22)	Sportsctr.	Women's College Basketball: NCAA Midwest Final			Women's College Basketball: NCAA Midwest Final				Sportsctr.	
(34)	Dallas		Today's Country		Prime Time Country		Monday Night Concerts		Dallas	
(13)	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Cosby	Raymond	Cosby	Walker, Texas Ranger			News	
(41)	Sportswriters on TV		Figure Skating: Skate International Champions			SnowMotn	Sports		Motorcycle Racing	
(15)	Movie: "Haro" Cont'd		Tribute to Monty Python		Movie: "Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade"				Movie: "Murder at 1600"	
(17)	Movie: "D2: The Mighty Ducks"				Movie: "Blank Check"		FamusFr		Walt Disney Presents	
(18)	"One Fine Day" Cont'd		Movie: "Zeus and Roxanne"				Movie: "Little Witches"		Hungry/You	
(20)	Front Row	Goin' Deep			Skiing		SnowMotn	Front Row	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
(44)	Movie: "No Way Out"						Movie: "Mississippi Burning"			
(5)	Griffith	Griffith			Movie: "El Dorado"				There-Crooked	
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Bewitched	WonderYr	WonderYr	HappyDay	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi
(25)	"Shepherd of the Hills"				Movie: "A Star Is Born"				"Sullivan's Travels"	
(26)	Highlander: The Series	Walker, Texas Ranger			WWF War Zone		World Wrestling		Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Law & Order	Biography			Poirot		Sherlock Holmes		Law & Order	
(12)	Academy Awd		Bulls Eye		NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Chicago Bulls				News	HoneyMnr
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports Illus.	Moneyline

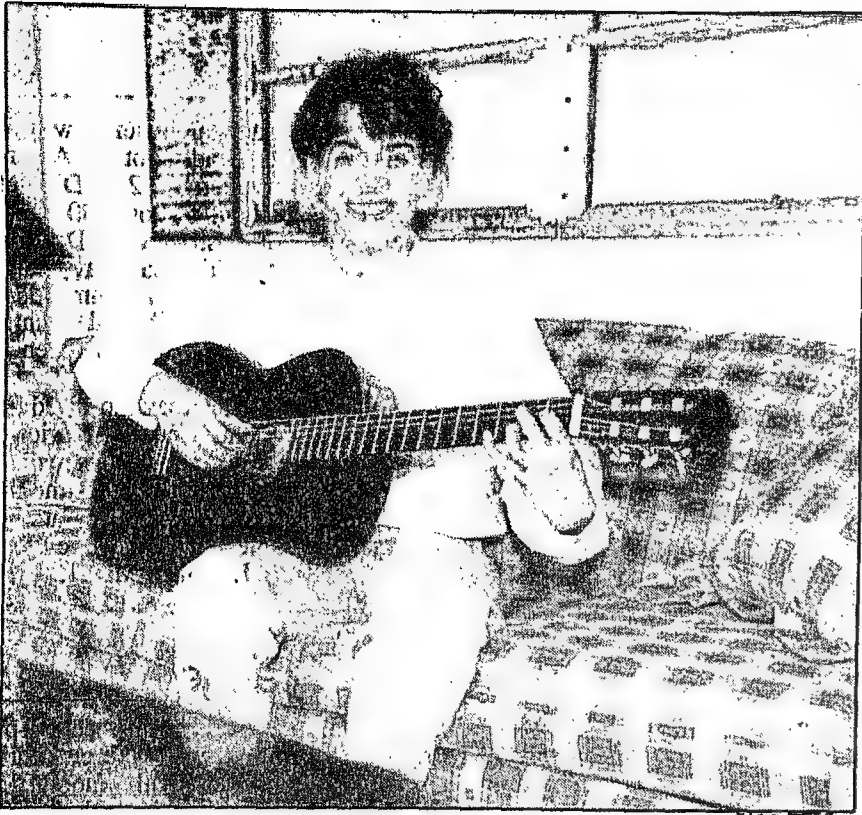
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(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Moesha	Clueless	Malcolm	In House	News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Wallons		Rescue 911		Diagnosis Murder		Hawaii Five-0		700 Club	
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Mad-You	For-Love	Frasier	Lateline	Dateline		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Home Imp.	Something	Home Imp.	That's Life	NYPD Blue		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		AskPubTV	Critical	Frontline		Nova		Dad's Army	Red Green
(22)	College Basketball: NIT Semifinal -- Teams TBA				College Basketball: NIT Semifinal -- Teams to Be Announced				Sportsctr.	
(34)	Dallas		To Be Announced		Prime Time Country		TNN... Live 1		Dallas	
(13)	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	JAG		Public Eye		48 Hours		News	
(41)	Skiing	SnowMotn	Figure Skating: Skate International Champions			This Week in NASCAR	Goin' Deep			
(15)	"She's Having a Baby"		Movie: "Always Outnumbered"			CCNY Scandal	Sanders	TopWorld		
(17)	Movie: "Ballo"				Scooby-Doo and the Ghoul School		Growing	Growing	Walt Disney Presents	
(18)	"A Very Brady Sequel"		Movie: "Freejack"				Movie: "The Temp"			
(20)	Front Row	Equestrian			Equestrian		Front Row	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	
(44)	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries			Movie: "Murder of Innocence"			Attitudes	Golden	
(5)	Griffith	Griffith			Movie: "The Horse Soldiers"				Movie: "Herbie Goes to Monte Carlo"	
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Alex Mack	Bewitched	WonderYr	WonderYr	HappyDay	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi
(25)	Kiss-Death		Movie: "Friendly Persuasion"				Hollywood on Hollywood		Movie: "The Star"	
(26)	Highlander: The Series	Walker, Texas Ranger			Boxing: Kenny Ellis vs. Bronco McKart				Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Law & Order	Biography			Movie: "Cracker: White Ghost"				Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		Dawson's Creek		News		Beverly Hills, 90210	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports Illus.	Moneyline

## WEDNESDAY EVENING MARCH 25, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Star Trek: Voyager		Sentinel		News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Wildlife Adv.		Rescue 911		Diagnosis Murder		Hawaii Five-0		700 Club	
6	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Newsradio	Seinfeld	3rd Rock	Working	Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Spin City	Dharma	Drew Carey	Two Guys	Primetime Live		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Himalaya		Great Performances				Dad's Army	Red Green
(22)	Sportsctr.	Bloopers	High School Basketball: All-American			High School Basketball			Sportscenter	
(34)	Dallas		Life-Deana Carter		Prime Time Country		Fan Fair Phenomenon		Dallas	
13	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Nanny	Cybill	Michael Hayes		Chicago Hope		News	
(41)	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Boston Celtics				Celtics		Figure Skating: Skate Int'l Champions		Celtics	
(15)	"The First Wives Club"		Movie: "The Relic"				Movie: "Amityville Dollhouse"			
(17)	Movie: "Pippi Longstocking"		Movie: "Annie"				Growing		Walt Disney Presents.	
(18)	"Independence Day"		Movie: "Chances Are"				Movie: "The Ex"			DaySun
(20)	Front Row	Tennis: IGA Classic			Front Row		FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News	
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Angel of Death"				Attitudes	Golden
(5)	Griffith	Griffith	NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Orlando Magic				NBA		Movie: "Red Dawn"	
(25)	Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	WonderYr	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Bewitched	Love	Taxi	Newhart
(24)	Taza, Son of Cochise"		Movie: "The Rains of Ranchipur"				WENN		Movie: "Breaking Away"	
(26)	Highlander: The Series		Walker, Texas Ranger		Movie: "Melanie Darrow"				Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		American Justice		Foot Soldier		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Movie: "Distant Thunder"				HomeyMnr	News	Beverly Hills, 90210	
(35)	Monetizing	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports Illus.	Moneyline





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Maine books: "The Best of Barnes," "The Sebago Lake Region," "The Oxford Hills" by Jack Barnes, "Maine Life" by Jack Barnes, "Maine Light Houses" by Courtney Thompson, "The Forgotten Nature of New England" by Dean Bennett, "Notorious and Notable New Englanders" by Peter Stevens, "The Lively Lady" by Kenneth Roberts, "The Yankee Cat" by Mariliss Hornidge, "The Fur Person" by Mary Sarton, "A Show of Hands" by David Crossman, "Maine Forts" by William Linz.

Children and junior fiction: The Animorphs series by K.A. Applegate, "Penalty Shot" by Matt Christopher, "Out of the Dust" by Karen Hesse

(Newberry award), "Screen Test" by David Klass, "The Window" by Michael Dorris, "Julius Wolf Pack" by Jean George, "Being Youngest" by Jim Heynen, "Feeling the Onion" by Wendy Orr, "My God Never Says Please" by Susan Williams, "Arm in Arm" by Remy Charlip, "Seal Surfer" by Michael Foreman, "Lucy Maud and the Cavendish Cat" by Lynn Manuel, "January Rides the Wind" by Charlotte Otten, "The Big Sea" by Martin Waddell, "The Subtle Knife" by Philip Pullman, "Saving Shiloh" by Phyllis Naylor, "The Long Patrol" by Brian Jacques, "Mortimer" and "I Have to Go" by Robert Munsch, "The Milkman's Boy" by Donald Hall, "A Summer Song" by Irene Haas, "Gotchel" by Jorgensen, "The Gingerbread Boy" by Richard Egielski, "Firehorse Max" by Sara London, "Twelve Shots" by Harry Mazer, "Run Away Home" by Patricia McKissack, "The Tulip Touch" by Anne Fine, "Mouse Mess" by Linnea Riley, "If I Were the Wind" by Leslie Evans, "Leon and Bob" by Simmon James, "Love You, Forever," "Mud Puddle," "Good Families Don't" by Robert Munsch, "Purple Hair? I Don't Care" by Diane Young, "My Brother's Keeper" by Nancy Johnson.

Junior non-fiction: "Memories of Anne Frank" by Alison Gold, "Red Scarf Girl" by Ji-Ji Jiang, "Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul" by Jack Canfield, "In Daddy's Arms I am Tall" "Lou Gehrig" by David Adler, "Mythical Birds and Beasts From Many Lands" by Margaret Mayo, "The Hunterman and the Crocodile" by Baba Diakite, "A Big Quiet House" by Heather Forest, "The Young Gymnast" by Joan Jackson, "NBA Basketball Offense Basics" by Mark Vancil, "The Young Snowboarder" by Bryan Iguchi.

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The next issue of the Bethel Historical Society's quarterly, The Bethel Courier, will be out soon. Anyone wishing a complimentary issue is urged to call the society office at (207) 824-2908 or write to P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012, or e-mail (history@bdc.bethel.me.us).

A Web site for the Bethel Historical Society has recently been created by Cheryl Kelso of Windham, a society member and descendant of the famed hunter and trapper, J.G. Rich, with the assistance of Society Curator of Collections Randall H. Bennett. Browsers to the site will find information on the society and its proposed Center for Local and Regional History, the Dr. Moses Mason House Museum, genealogical and historical research, current and future exhibits, programs and special events, historical videos, museum store, membership and how to find the Dr. Moses Mason House. There are also articles from the society quarterly, The Bethel Courier, as well as some of the highlights of the society's 32 years of existence. More articles will be added as time allows and other features are anticipated in the future. Anyone with suggestions is also urged to contact the society by e-mail. Web site: <http://orion.bdc.bethel.me.us/history>

Barbara Honkala's name was inadvertently omitted in last week's report on the panelists for the Oral History Night "Growing Up in Bethel."

The "Gift of the Month" announced at the March monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society was a typescript of Lucy M. Smith's narrative of going West from Newry, Maine to Utah as part of the Mormon migration in the 1830s. This was the gift of Larry Smith of St. Pete Beach, Fla.

From the

Bethel Senior Citizens

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met at the Locke Mills Legion Hall on March 11. There were 76 members present who enjoyed a meal consisting of chicken pie, vegetables, salad, breads, ice cream and birthday cake. The cake was made by Homestown Bakery.

In the absence of Rudy Royer, the blessing was given by Lindley Wieden. The following cards were sent out to members: 14 birthday cards, four get-well cards, one sympathy card and one thank you card.

The 50/50 raffle was won by Gertrude Hutchins. Lyndell Carter won the door prize.

Jane Hosterman reported on programs and trips and also read humorous stories.

March birthdays are: Iva Abraham, Alberta Angevine, Muriel Butters, Ethelyn Caillouet, Lyndell Carter, Polly Davis, Geraldine Howe, Mildred Jackson, Mary Keniston, Linwood Machia, Marna McGinniss, Elizabeth Morse, Lillian Perkins, Reggie Westleigh, Pauline Wieden and Maxine Wright.

From the

Bethel Family Health Center

On Thursday, March 26, the Bethel Family Health Center will hold its annual meeting and dinner at Crescent Park School on Crescent Street in Bethel. This event is open to all residents of central and northern Oxford County. Hors d'oeuvres will be served from 5:30 to 6 p.m. with a buffet dinner to follow at 6 p.m. Ticket charge for adults will be \$5 and children under 12 \$2.50. The meeting will start at 7 p.m. R.S.V.P. would be helpful in determining seating arrangements. Please call 824-2193.

We offer this opportunity for residents to become better acquainted with the Health Center staff and Board of Directors. Any questions or comments are always appreciated and will be directed to the appropriate representative.

The buffet will include chicken divan, lasagna, rice pilaf, herbed mashed potatoes, tossed green salad and mixed desserts. Beverages will be available.

The agenda for the meeting consists of a welcome by the president, David Murphy, Barry Howgate, CPA, of Fortin, Howgate and Harmon, will present the audited financial report. Following this report, the Medical, Volunteer and President's awards will be presented. Business to be voted upon by the membership is the approval of the minutes of March 26, 1997 annual meeting, the re-election of trustees and officers and other operational issues.

Nominees of award winners are presented to the Board of Directors by a nominating committee. Final decisions are made by the board. The Medical Award goes to a resident who has devoted time, energy and commitment to the community in the area of health. The Volunteer Award goes to a person who has volunteered their services to the community. The President's Award is selected by the president of the board and is awarded at his/her discretion.

MEN'S GATHERING

Western Mountain Men will hold its fourth weekend gathering for men of all ages, beliefs and persuasions. The biannual event will take place from May 1 to 3, said Bob Monroe of Lyman, a member of the organizing committee.

Monroe encourages men from all walks of life to find out what it's like to experience a completely different way of relating to and finding the true essence of manhood. He says, "It's really a beautiful thing, a far cry from the old 'macho man' idea."

From the

Oxford Pomona Grange

Rumford Grange at Rumford Center hosted the most recent meeting of Oxford Pomona on March 3. Thirty-three members were present with Rumford Grange easily winning the attendance banner for the month.

In the absence of the regular organist, Gloria Abbott filled in with Peggy Blake taking Gloria's place as Pomona. Nina Grover filled in as chaplain and Ronald Easter as gate keeper.

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From the

Mundt-Allen Post

Mundt-Allen Post 81 and Post Auxiliary held their annual oyster stew supper on March 11 to celebrate the anniversary of the founding of the American Legion. Guests of the auxiliary were Sharon Trask, 2nd District chaplain and chair of the Flag Alliance; June Merchant of Post 100, Dixfield; and Mrs. Sudie Yachon of Bethel. Guests of Post 81 were Department of Maine finance officer, Ed Roach; Department historian Dave Sanborn; Department oratorical chair, Bob Sessions; 2nd District commander, Leland Merchant; 2nd District finance officer, Jesse Pierce; Oxford County finance officer, Lee Millett; and 40 & 8 Chef de Guerre, William (Gene) Bickford.

After an, at times, animated discussion, the Post 81 membership voted to approve revised criteria used to select recipients of the annual "American Legion Mundt-Allen Educational Assistance Awards." Five awards are dispensed each year to SAD44 students and/or descendants of Post 81 members who go on to post high school study of one to three years' duration. Students desiring to apply for one of these awards need to make sure they submit the completed application form to Post 81 no later than May 1.

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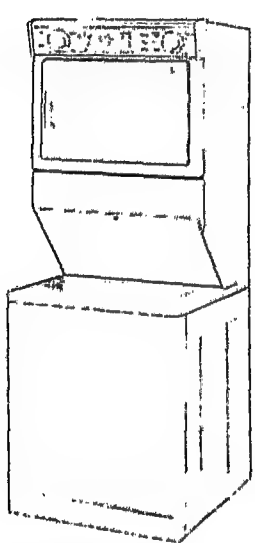
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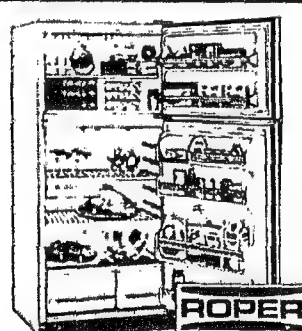
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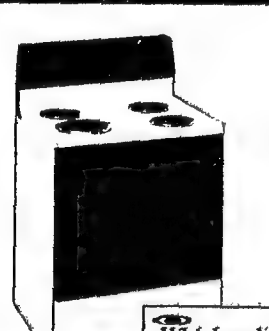
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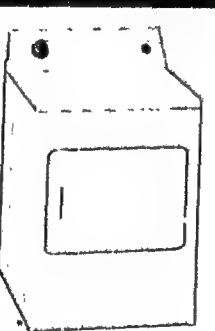
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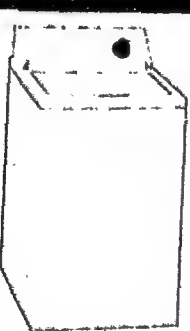
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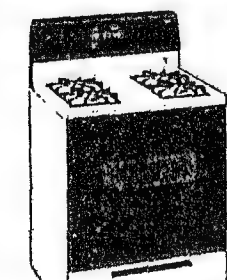
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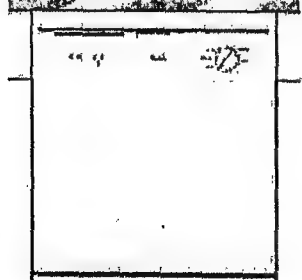
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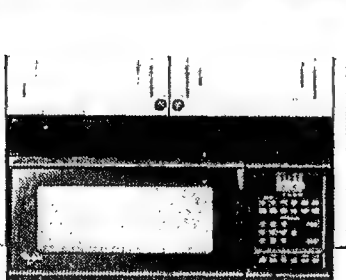
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The application is for trails and lifts, within the Jordan Bowl area of Sunday River Ski Resort.

A request for a public hearing or a request that the Board of Environmental Protection assume jurisdiction over this application must be received by the Department, in writing no later than 20 days after the application is found by the Department to be complete and is accepted for processing. Public comment on the application will be accepted throughout the processing of the application.

The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department of Environmental Protection's office in (Portland, Augusta or Bangor) during normal working hours. A copy of the application may also be seen at the municipal offices in Newry, Maine.

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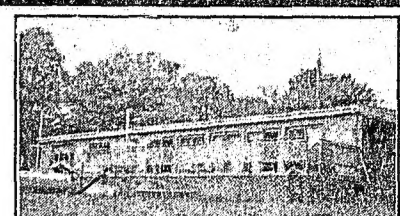
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### Notice to Veterans

If you are 62 or older by April 1, 1998 and have not yet applied for a VETERANS EXEMPTION please come to the Town Office before April 1, 1998 and apply. We are open from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Mondays - Fridays.

## PUBLIC NOTICE Bethel Board of Appeals

The Bethel Board of Appeals will conduct a hearing on the request of Bethel Commodore Corporation, DBA The Bethel Inn, regarding a variance from set back requirements for planned new construction at The Bethel Inn property. The hearing will take place on Wednesday, April 1, 1998 at 7:00 pm at the Town Office Meeting Room. A copy of the plans for the construction project, as well as a copy of the variance request, are available for public inspection at the Town Office during normal business hours.

## WOODSTOCK RESIDENTS



The Woodstock Animal Control Officer will be given the list of persons whose dogs have not been licensed as of April 1, 1998, on Friday, April 3, 1998. This will result in an additional fee of \$10.00 per dog. If your dogs are registered before this time, your name will be removed from the list. Vern Maxfield, Town Manager

## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bethel Board of Selectmen are accepting applications for a volunteer position on the Airport Authority. The position would need to be filled by a non-pilot. Applications must be submitted to the Town Office by noon Friday, March 27th, 1998. Interested persons may call the Town Office at 824-2669 for further information.

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<b>90 CHEVY S-10 4X4 PICKUP</b> V6, 5spd., only 59k miles Was \$6,950 Now \$6,500 48mos. <b>\$184.31/mo.</b> 'GREEN'				

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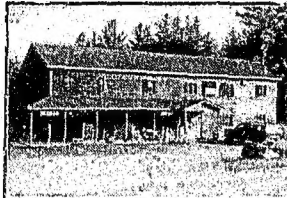
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**11326 NORWAY** - Charming four bedroom home in Norway. Great backyard with deck and lower garden. Quality shows throughout with much heating and recent improvements. Lovely kitchen with pantry, dining room with elegant French doors and hardwood floors. Large barn workshop, lots and lots of room. Take a look inside and feel the charm. Reduced \$80,000

**11307 PARIS HILL** - Beautiful 3500 sq. ft. Garrison Style Home on professionally landscaped 2+ acre lot. Quality shows throughout with much heating and recent improvements. Lovely kitchen with pantry, dining room with elegant French doors and hardwood floors. Large barn workshop, lots and lots of room. Take a look inside and feel the charm. Reduced \$80,000

**11350 NORWAY** - Cozy 7 room cape with attached 2 car garage. Very well constructed home on a nice private 3 acre lot. Great location. Must see to appreciate. Reduced to \$118,500

**11386 NORTH NORWAY** - "Benjamin Fuller House". Traditional style Cape Cod house built in 1794, by early settler from Bethel and off his lot. The house was abandoned in 1840 and given to a Great Revivalist. Today, many org. features remain with many updates. This 6 1/2 story 2 car garage, 2000 sq. ft. new barn on 8.5 acres has the charm of a year year & lovely flower gardens surrounding a huge garage. Much more, shown by appt. \$159,000

**11322 South Paris** - Here's your chance to own five plus acres of this beautiful earth with breathtaking views of the White Mountains. Adjoining this property is a nice antique cape with three bedrooms, a 24x68 stable, nice fields, very desirable location. Call for your private showing. Reduced \$129,900

**11174 SO. PARIS** - Cross the threshold of this beautiful home with an abundance of space and a spectacular view of the White Mountains. Private location on dead-end road. Quality construction throughout. This is a home for those who demand excellence. Call today for your private showing. Reduced \$289,000

**11300 SOUTH PARIS** - Four bedroom home on quiet dead-end road. Spacious 2+ acre lot with garden area. House built in 1989 has 1 1/2 baths, kitchen, dining area, living room, extra room, plus two car garage. Oil HWB heating, plus woodstove & coal stove. Let us show you this home. Ideal for growing family. \$87,000

**11360 PARIS HILL** - Spacious Colonial style 10 room house on large 2+ acre lot, ponds, garden and paper but has lots of potential. 4 fireplaces, 4 bedrooms, 3 screened porches, oil HW heating, and much more. Shown by appointment Only \$129,900

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**11331 NORTH WATERFORD** - Seven room farmhouse w/attached barn, plus a detached stable on 4+/- acres. Loc. on Rt. 118 at Rt. 35. Intersection. Lots of potential for homebased or recreation home near lakes, ski areas, etc. 1/2 road frontage on Crooked River. Needs a nice work, but worth the effort! \$299,000

**11154 NORWAY** - Great location! Great Views! Exceptional 5 bedroom home with 4 baths. Massive deck overlooking unique views of White Mtns. & Norway Lake. Well maintained grounds including a pond. This beautiful executive home has it all. Shown to qualified buyers by appt. only

**11386 NORWAY** - Situated on 15 acres in Norway is a lovely updated 4 bedroom farmhouse with many nice features, exposed beams, wood cooking stove, brick hearth, large rooms and a great yard with lots of space for gardens, children and animals. All updates are recent, just hard work has already been done! Looks great! \$135,000

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**Greenwood:** Lovely home conveniently located to Rt. 26/skways boasts 3 BR, 1 1/2 baths, spacious living areas, privacy. Easy commute to So. Paris/Bethel/Rumford areas. Two large detached garages. Residential and/or commercial potential. \$139,900

**Woodstock:** 3 bedroom Ranch (with addition) conveniently located on Route 26 en route to area skways, recreation areas. Hardwood floors, fireplace, spacious cathedralized living area, wrap around deck, detached 2-car garage. \$96,500



**West Bethel:** Fleming Road, 1+/- acre building lot offers privacy, brook. \$16,500

**Mt. Abram:** 3+/- acre building lot awaits your home design! Walk to slopes. Reduced to \$13,000

**North Pond:** 1 1/2 acre lot boasts privacy, views and 200+/- waterfrontage. \$57,900 Now \$45,000

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**Greenwood:** Schoolhouse Road, 12+/- acres at \$10,900 or 15+/- acres at \$11,900



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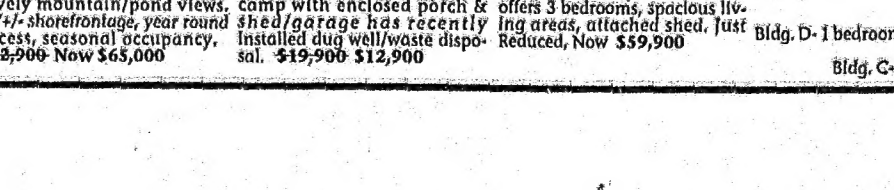
**Condominiums**

**Sunday River - White Cap:** Spacious 1 BR upper level unit offers wrap around deck, jacuzzi tub, full access, slope views, use of rec facilities. \$69,900

**Bethel Opera House:** Loc. in Bethel Village, across from the Common! Furnished 1 BR & smt. loft unit. Minutes to Sunday River! Good rental history. \$52,000

**Lake Christopher:** (Woodstock/Bryant Pond): Comfortable 3 BR end unit/level level en route to skisway/Bethel, Lake/Mountain views. NOW \$53,000

**Mt. Abram:** Bldg. D-1 bedroom end unit, ground level, lg. foyer/entry, deck, woodstove, \$43,900; Bldg. C- ground level 1 Bedroom. \$48,900



**Twitchell Pond:** 3 BR cottage boasts spacious living area, screened porch, large deck, year round residential 2 BR camp with enclosed porch & shed/garage has recently installed dual well/waste disposal. \$19,900 \$12,900

**Milton Plantation:** Possible hunting/vacation getaway or year round residence! 2 BR camp with enclosed porch & shed/garage has recently installed dual well/waste disposal. \$19,900 \$12,900

**Greenwood:** Situated on an elevated lot, just off Route 26 en route to skisway, this home offers 3 bedrooms, spacious living areas, attached shed, just reduced. Now \$59,900

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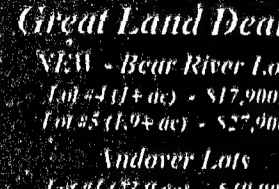
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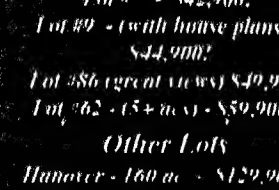
**Mt. Hill Rd, Bethel**  
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Lot #4 (20.9 ac) - \$18,900!  
Powder Ridge Lots  
Lot #90 - 1 acre lot at \$26,900!  
Lot #91 - 1 acre lot at \$26,900!  
Lot #70 - \$39,900!  
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**Great starter home on Rt. 2 in Hanover!** This meticulously kept 3 bdrm home on 2+/- acres is perfect for a first time home buyer or retiring couple! Qualify for MSH with only 5% down and you could own this home for as little as \$563/month complete!



A great deal at only \$69,900!



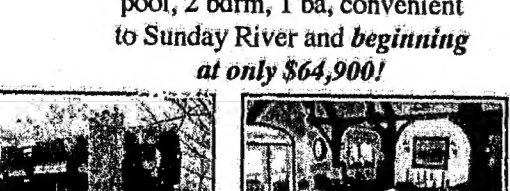
**Your Maine Log Home** features 3 bdrm, 1.5 baths, groomed lawn, 3+/- acres, privacy, a 2 car garage and ready for you! Only \$84,900!



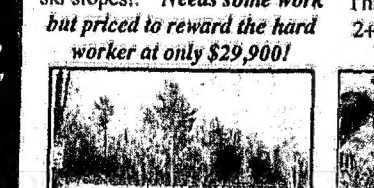
**Wonderful Chamberlain Condos, Hanover** - Great views over the outdoor heated pool, 2 bdrm, 1 ba, convenient to Sunday River and beginning at only \$64,900!



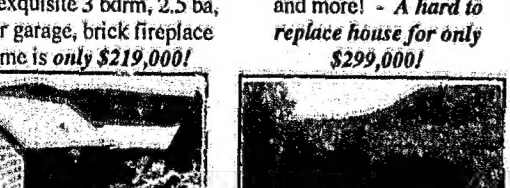
**Opportunity!** - Great potential in this Rt. 2 Hanover home. 2 bdrm, 1 ba, nice living room, kitchen on 1 1/4 ac, minutes to ski slopes! Needs some work but priced to reward the hard worker at only \$29,900!



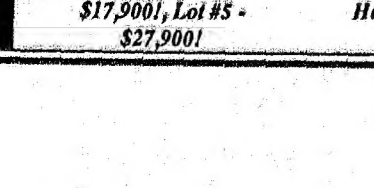
**You have to see this!** Surround yourself by mountains, a national forest, a river with a 10 ac. private estate! This exquisite 3 bdrm, 2.5 ba, 2+ car garage, brick fireplace home is only \$219,000!



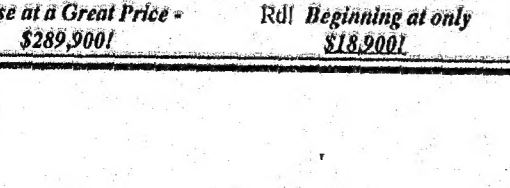
**Riverbank Subdivision, Newry!** Two very nice home lots with frontage on Bear River Rd await your building plans! Lot #4 - \$17,900! Lot #5 - \$27,900!



**Super Cape, West Bethel** Spectacular 3 bdrm, 2.5 ba, 2 car garage, 3,000+ sq. ft., lap pool. Unbelievable views on 5+ ac. f. Great House at a Great Price - \$289,900!



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**NORTH ANDOVER:** 2 bedroom single story home, full basement, 2.5 acres, 320' road frontage \$49,000, private sale, 392-1771. 11-14P

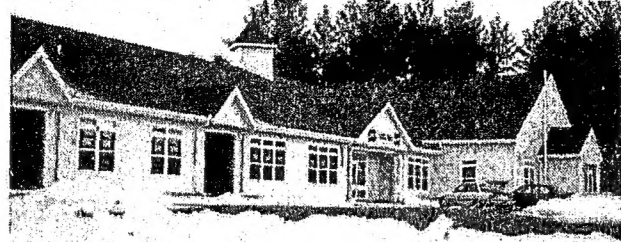
**WATERFRONT LOTS!** From \$29,880. Preseason prices in New Community, heavily wooded, large homesites, restricted. South 12-13

**Carolina recreational delight.** Call 800-715-5533, CNE 1059. 12P

**HOWARD POND ROAD, Hanover, Maine.** 3 bedroom ski house. Excellent rental income. Possible owner financing. Asking \$69,500. (207) 799-1481. 12-13

**FOR SALE 1976 Ritzcraft 12x50, 2 bedroom Mobile home w/12x16 addition,** pitched roof, new furnace and water heater, nice bar in kitchen, appliances and some furniture, nicely decorated. Must be moved \$6,000.00. Call 824-4319. 12-14P

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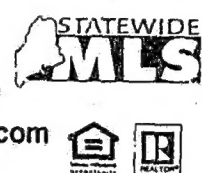


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### VILLAGE HOME

#470 Charming 125+ Andover Village 3-story, 9 room home & barn. Unique architectural details both inside & out include open staircase, wainscoting and herringbone maple floors. A must see at \$59,900



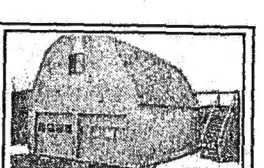
### GEODESIC DOME

#433 Light & airy, this fully furnished, 2 bedroom + loft, 2 bath home is perfect for a family or ski group. A stone fireplace, glass enclosed dining wing & real wood paneling complete the picture. \$110,000



### RESORT HOME

#456 This 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, year round home is located within walking distance to lifts. Amenities include laundry room, wrap around deck, woodstove & fireplace with raised hearth and heater. \$98,500



### COZY GAMBREL

#446 Just waiting for you to finish the upstairs apartment, this private setting includes 6+ acres close to Lake Christopher & Indian Pond and offers spectacular views of the countryside. Priced to sell at only \$29,000



### N.E. FARMHOUSE

#450 Immaculate describes this newly renovated 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home with attached 3-story barn & 5+/- acres of well manicured grounds. New septic, furnace & electrical work. A superior buy at \$49,900



### SILVER LAKE

#451 Nestled off a country lane on Silver Lake, this classic camp takes you back in time. The large airy sleeping loft, screened porch, eat-in kitchen & living room with fieldstone fireplace are easy to maintain. \$59,000

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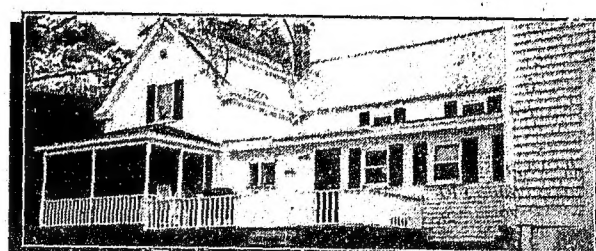


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### SPACIOUS HOME:

Pleasant & well maintained Cape featuring 5 bedrooms, a spacious family room, living room and an attached 2 car garage. Located at the end of the road on a quiet residential street just minutes from Bethel Village. \$115,000

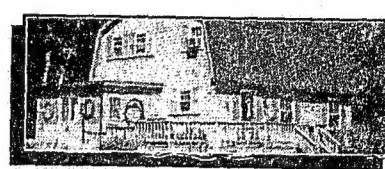


### CHARMING FARM, FORMER B&B:

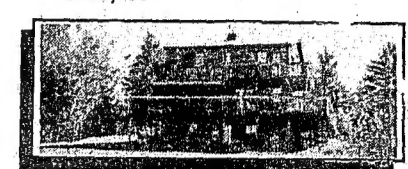
Warm New England farmhouse situated on 15.75+/- acres of fields with river frontage. Formerly operated as a B&B with lots of charm and personality. 16 miles to Sunday River. \$159,900



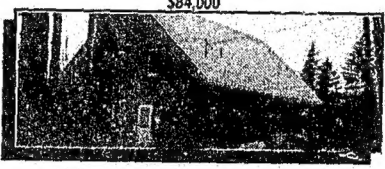
**CHARMING COTTAGE STYLE HOME - BETHEL:** Tastefully renovated home featuring open living area, mud room, 2 bedrooms including master bedroom with cathedral ceiling and private deck. Situated on a corner lot with panoramic, stone walls & a very welcoming front porch. Walking distance to Village. \$84,000



**COZY GAMBREL:** Attractive, well maintained home overlooking Twitchell Pond. Detached 2 car garage with large loft. Great open floor plan makes this a perfect year round residence or a second home. \$125,000



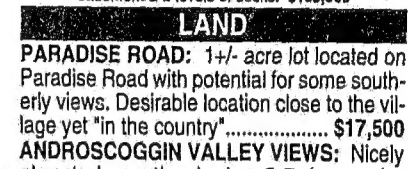
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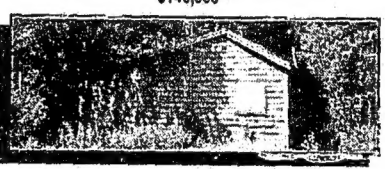
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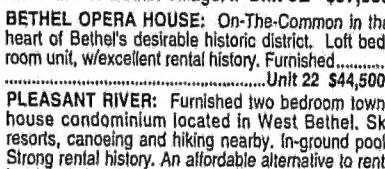
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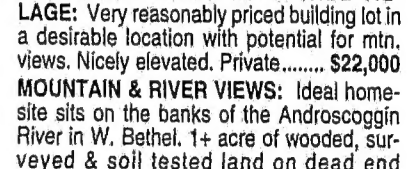
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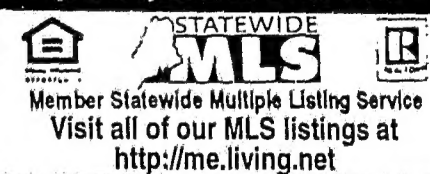
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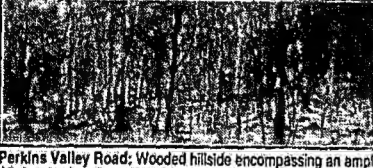
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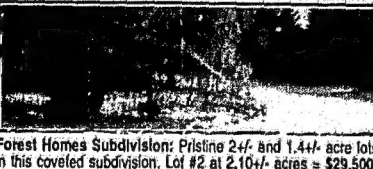
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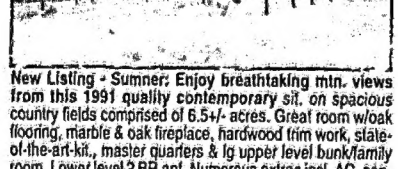
**New Listing - Bethel:** Diligently follow the Androscoggin River while transverse the winding Intervale Rd., to 23+/- only acres w/a mountainous silhouette which frames a 1950's contemp. Its polished & well thought out 2-story floor plan is sure to please with high ceilings, large rooms, enhanced with windows, dramatic balcony, 3 BR's, 2 baths, full basement & office. \$155,000



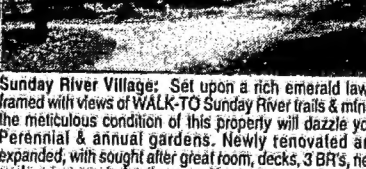
**New Listing - Greenwood:** 24+/- acre wooded house site on the historic Appleton Farm Road with sun-dappled meadow of hard and softwood cover. \$16,900



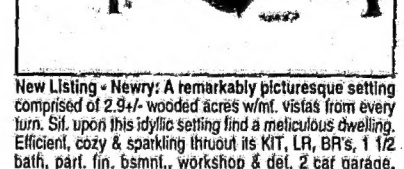
**Forest Homes Subdivision:** Priced at 24+/- and 14+/- acre lots in this coveted subdivision. Lot #2 at 210+/- acres = \$29,500. Lot #4 at 14+/- acres = \$22,500



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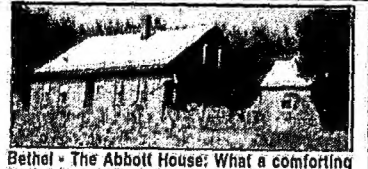
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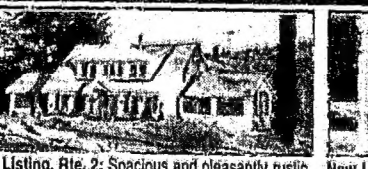
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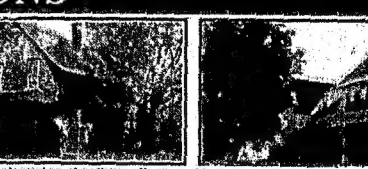
**New Listing, Rte. 2:** Spacious and pleasantly rustic, this vintage Cape is sit. on 124+/- acres. Offering 850+/- ft. of Androscoggin River frontage on covered 1773 2. Its setting is sunny, very inviting. Large, open living spaces & exposed beams are combined with white stenciled nooks & crannies, a country kit, 7 BR's, 2 baths, a patio, pool. A great primary or vaca home also ideal for many commercial endeavors. \$119,000



**New Listing - In-Town, Bethel:** A prominently sit. comm. building in the Village of Bethel, its great rental history incl. revenue from a 1st floor, 2 room & bath storefront & 2nd story LR, KIT, bath, 1 BR apt. New roof, electrical, new heating, freshly painted. Only \$130,000. Also available is a highly visible building lot on Mechanic St. Located in the central business district with public utilities. \$25,500; \$24,900



**New Listing:** Situated on the famed Sunday River Road this 1980 Colonial duplex offers a 3rd level floor plan-upper three bedroom, two full bath attractive apartment, first level three bedroom, two full bath (currently utilized as a two bedroom and office space) in good condition. All appliances, large basement, DRW, washer and dryer. \$179,900



**In-Town, Bethel:** This charming dwelling offers a spacious, cheerfully painted country KIT, DR, comfortable LR, 4 pleasant BR's, airy screen porch & large deck overlooking well-kept lawn. Inc. generously appointed "studio" apt., w/porch for rental income. Spacious, high-ceilinged dance studio added in 1994 can be easily mod. for business/art related ventures. Famous loc. (and owner), by appt. please. \$179,900



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## Obituaries

### MARSHALL BROWN

Marshall Brown, 75, of Oxford, died Friday, March 13, 1998, at his home.

He was born in Bethel on Feb. 8, 1923, the son of Bion and Mina Tyler Brown. He graduated from South Paris High School in 1942.

He was a veteran of World War II having served in the United States Navy.

On Oct. 16, 1948, he married Ina Perkins.

He had been a union contractor in Portland.

He was a member of the Weary Club of Norway and the Norway Country Club, where he enjoyed playing golf.

Survivors include his wife of Oxford; two daughters, Mrs. Rick (Annette) Bushman of Encinitas, Calif., and Mrs. Joe (Jerry) Wax of Avon, Conn.; one sister, Winifred Falzone of Florida; and two grandchildren. He was predeceased by a son, David, on March 11, 1991; one brother, Lawrence; and one sister, Helen.

At Mr. Brown's request there will

be a private memorial service in the spring. Interment will be in the Highland Cemetery in West Poland.

### MABEL W. CAMERON

Mrs. Mabel W. Cameron, 89, died Tuesday, March 17, 1998, at her son Robert Cameron's home in South Rumford.

A lifelong resident of the area, she was born in Rumford on July 22, 1908, and was the daughter of John and Bertha (Cushman) Welch. She attended Rumford schools and graduated from Stephens High School in Rumford with the class of 1926.

She was married in Rumford on Oct. 25, 1933, to the late Marshall A. Cameron, who died in Rumford on Aug. 22, 1979.

Mrs. Cameron was employed as a secretary for Mt. Zircon Spring Water from June to November 1926 and then with Standard Oil Company of New York (Mobil) from November 1926 to January 1930. Nearly all of 1930 until her retirement in July 1974 she worked at

Oxford Paper Company, later called Ethyl Corp., and Boise Cascade Paper Company, and now called Mead Corp.

She was a member of the Rumford United Methodist Church, the Mary & Martha Club of the church, and the United Methodist Women's Club; a member of the local Widows & Widowers Society; Dixfield Senior Citizens; and Mt. Zircon Chapter 142, O.E.S.

Survivors include one daughter, Barbara and her husband Elliot "Bud" Burns of South Rumford; one son, State Rep. Robert A. and his wife Louanne Cameron of South Rumford; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Eve Curley of Scarborough and Mrs. Marion Swan of Mexico; several nieces and nephews. She was pre-deceased by a sister, Grace Kimball, and two brothers, Elmer and James Welch.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, March 20, at the Virgin Memorial Chapel of the United Methodist Church, Rumford, with the Rev. Judy Gould officiating. Interment will be in Rumford Center Cemetery in the spring. Those who desire, please contribute in her memory to the Rumford Methodist Church, c/o Robert Weirich, 108 Andover Road, Rumford, ME 04276, or the Androscoggin Home Health Services, P.O. Box M, Rumford, ME 04276.

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank all my family and friends for your many acts of kindness since my accident. Your thoughtfulness has been so very much appreciated.

Rolly Chapman

## Births

Angela Webb and Scot Rainey of West Paris are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Benjamin Wyatt Rainey, born on March 14, 1998, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 5 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Ron Webb of Waterford and Jill Webb of West Paris.

Paternal grandparents are Wade Rainey of West Paris and Rena Dudley of South Paris.

Benjamin joins a sister, Crystal-agell Taylor, 4 1/2.

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Anthony and Tracy Morin of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Octavia McKayla, born March 12, 1998 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 pounds, 4 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Joy and Ozzie Hart of Bethel.

Paternal grandparents are Darleen Corriveau of Gilead and Adrien Morin of Florida.

Octavia joins sisters Sasha, 9, Amber, 7, Christina, 6, and Mariha, 2.

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Senator Richard A. and Karen L. Bennett of Norway are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Nathaniel Farrington Bennett, born on March 14, 1998, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Kenneth and Mary Green of Auburn, Mass.

Paternal grandparents are Ronald

and Luna Martin of Brunswick and Dean and Sheila Bennett of Mount Vernon.

Nathaniel joins sister Abigail, 2, years and 3 months.

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Scott and Marie Swett of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Delanna Marie, born on Thursday, March 5, 1998, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Anna and Jim Fournier of Portland.

Paternal grandparents are Patricia and Alfred Swett of Standish.

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